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EXHIBITION NOTES.

Work in Progress at the Buildings—Meetings of Sports and Games Committees.

As this is the last day entries can be received for the B. C. Agricultural Association, Secretary Boggs and his staff are very busy. This morning alone approximately 800 entries were received, a good number of these coming by mail from intending exhibitors on the Mainland and outlying districts. The entries in stock are so numerous that it is doubtful whether there will be sufficient accommodation for all. The number of exhibitors from the Mainland has increased so largely that it will be necessary to run a special boat to bring the exhibits to this city.

The work of putting the race track in first-class condition is continuing under the supervision of Dr. Tolmie, chairman of the sports committee, who has determined that no stone shall be unturned in order to make this feature a success. Sundry improvements are also in progress to different departments of the buildings. The stalls for the housing of stock are being increased, the poultry building renovated and other minor but necessary work is in progress. The floor for the new restaurant is being laid and preparations made to put up timbers for the district exhibit. These will be located in the main building on the right and left of the hall near the front entrance. Cowichan will not enter the competition this year, but with the exception of this the exhibits will be from the same sources as last fall, namely, Saanich, Comox, the Islands and Kent.

A number of innovations have been introduced by the secretary. Employees of the B. C. Agricultural Association will be recognizable by a cap, bearing the badge of the society. The jockeys in the horse races will also have numbers on their arms for the purpose of identification.

A meeting of the sports committee will be held this evening, when a discussion will take place on the feasibility of making arrangements for the holding of a trap shoot at the exhibition grounds, for which a silver cup has been presented. Although the members of the two local clubs are desirous of doing as much as possible to make the show a success, they ask the committee for an appropriation in order to cover the expenses which will be entailed in bringing the traps from Langford Plains to the grounds. Other matters of importance will receive consideration.

The buildings and grounds committee will hold a meeting to-morrow evening.

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DIRECTORS ARRESTED.

Alleged to Have Sold Transfers on Bank When Company Had No Money.

(Associated Press.)

Frankfort-on-the-Maine, Sept. 29.—The Franfurter Zeitung, in a dispatch from Mannheim, referring to the arrest of Henry Henninger, a director of the Bankrupt Heinan-Manneheim Chemical Company, says that Joseph Boehm, another director of that company, has been taken into custody. The directors, among other dealings, are alleged to have sold to banks in Manneheim transfers amounting to $4,125,000 on a New York bank with which it had business connections, without the company having an equivalent sum to its credit in New York.

EIGHT HORSES BURNED.

(Associated Press.)

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 29.—Among eight horses destroyed in a barn which burned at Proctor Knott yesterday, was "Smoky," formerly Buffalo Bill's favorite horse. One of Frederick Remington's master pieces is said to be a picture of Buffalo Bill mounted on "Smoky."

THE TRAGIC END OF EMILE ZOLA

ASPHYXIATED BY FUMES FROM A STOVE

Novelist Found Dead in Bedroom Today—His Wife Had a Narrow Escape.

Paris, Sept. 29.—Emile Zola, the novelist, who was born in Paris, April 2nd, 1840, was found dead in his house this morning from asphyxiation.

His wife is gravely ill. It is said that the novelist's death was accidental.

M. Zola was asphyxiated by fumes from a stove, the pipes of which are said to have been out of order. At the same time it is stated that there are indications of suicide. Zola and his wife returned to Paris yesterday after having spent three months in the country. It is hoped that Madame Zola will survive.

Later Particulars.

Paris, Sept. 29.—M. Zola returned to his Paris home from his country house at Medan, and owing to a sudden spell of cool weather here, he ordered the heating stove in his bedroom to be lighted. The stove burned badly, but Zola and his wife retired at 10 o'clock last night, and the servants, not hearing any movement in the apartment this morning, entered the bedroom at 9.30, and found Madame Zola lying in bed inanimate. Zola was lying half out of bed with his head and shoulders on the floor and his legs on the bed. Doctors were summoned, but they failed to restore Zola to life. After prolonged efforts they resuscitated Madame Zola.

The rumor circulated regarding Zola's supposed suicide from poison was based on the fact that ejections were found on the floor, but the doctors say they came from Zola's dog, which was also in the bedroom, and which did not suffer from asphyxiation.

Zola dined with a good appetite yesterday evening, and the servants of the household ate of the same dishes. Nothing unusual was heard in the bedroom during the night. Some workmen arrived at the Zola residence at 9.30 this morning in order to make certain repairs in Zola's bedroom, but the servants had already become alarmed at hearing no sound from the room, and decided to enter it by bursting the door open. A slight odor of carbonic gas was at once noticed, and the bodies of the novelist and his wife were found in the positions already described. Zola had evidently been awakened by a choking sensation, and tried to rise, but was overcome by the fumes, which apparently escaped from the defective stove. Two windows were immediately opened, doctors and a commissary of police were summoned, and the utmost efforts were made to revive the novelist and his wife, but the former had already succumbed. Madame Zola regained consciousness at noon. She now lies in a state of complete prostration.

An improvement in her condition is anxiously awaited in order to obtain further light on the occurrence.

Emile Zola was born in Paris on April 2nd, 1840. His parents soon removed to Aix, where his father, an engineer of reputation, was employed on the canal which still bears his name. The father died when his son was seven years old, and the failure of the company soon afterwards left the boy and his mother in poverty. In 1858 Zola returned to Paris, studied at the Lycee St. Louis, and after two years' struggle with extreme poverty, obtained employment in the publishing house of Hachette & Co., with which he remained connected until 1865. His first book, Cotes a Nilson, appeared in 1864. He then resolved to devoted himself to authorship, and wrote a number of books in rapid succession.

Owing to the attitude he adopted at the time of the Dreyfus case he was forced to leave France, and resided in England. He never flinched, however, but continued fighting for the imprisoned French officer, of whose cause he was the strongest champion. When Dreyfus was taken back to France Zola continued to work in his behalf, and never for a moment tired until the end of the trial at Rennes.

LEFT FOR WEST.

Hon. A. G. Blair Started From Ottawa For the Pacific Coast To-Day.

Ottawa, Sept. 29.—Hon. A. G. Blair, minister of railways, left this morning for the Pacific coast by way of St. Paul.

In the case of W. T. R. Preston against the Ottawa Journal, a verdict has been given for the Journal. This case arose out of a letter written in the Journal by John E. Rochester, son of the late John Rochester, who sat in the Dominion House for Carleton county, attacking Preston for certain evidence given by him before the Cook investigation committee of the Senate. The jury held that Preston's evidence justified the letter.

LORD CHARLES BERESFORD.

Report That He Will Probably Be Placed in Command of Channel Squadron.

London, Sept. 29.—The Daily Express to-day says it hears that Rear-Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, who is now in the United States, will succeed to the command of the British channel squadron in March.

ARTILLERY FOR ESQUIMALT.

One Hundred Additional Men Reached Halifax Yesterday En Route to Work Point Barracks.

(Associated Press.)

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 29.—The Fifth Royal Garrison Regiment, which is to replace Third Royal Canadians, reached this city from Southampton on the steamer Aurania yesterday afternoon. There are 597 officers and men.

The steamer also brought out a hundred Royal Artillerymen for Esquimalt.

Private Davies jumped overboard the first night at sea, and was drowned. The following day his wife died of heart failure, and was buried at sea.

Western members of the Royal Canadian Regiment leave for home this afternoon.

LORD MAYOR OF LONDON.

(Associated Press.)

London, Sept. 29.—Sir Marcus Samuel, who has been an alderman of the City of London since 1891, was elected Lord Mayor of London for the ensuing year at the Guild hall to-day, succeeding Sir Jos. C. Dimsdale.

STEAMER RETURNED WITHOUT ORE CARGO

Pacific Steel Company May Have to Forfeit the Option on Texada Iron Mines.

(Special to the Times.)

Nanaimo, Sept. 29.—The steamer Bermuda, of Vancouver, has returned from the Texada iron mines without a cargo. The Bermuda went with an order to take all the ore over 300 tons from the mines to the Crofton smelter, but found that there was not 300 tons there. This and other failures of the Pacific Steel Company, who are operating the mine on an option, will likely result in the forfeiture of the option on the grounds of breach of contract with the owners, the Puget Sound Iron Co. The contract calls for an output of 200 tons per day, and for some time past the daily average production has been away below that mark.

The Pacific Steel Company has all along had trouble with its employees, who claim they are not worked regularly, and are not paid, and to-day only four men are at work. Twenty Chinamen who were working in the mine went on strike about four weeks ago because their wages were not forthcoming, and a settlement has not yet been made.

W. H. Lee, representing the Puget Sound Iron Company, is now at the mines. He says if his company regains possession the property will be worked extensively. It is very rich.

KILLED BY A TREE.

William Mitchell Crushed to Death in Logging Camp Near Chemainus on Saturday.

(Special to the Times.)

Chemainus, Sept. 29.—Wm. Mitchell, an employee of the Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Company, was instantly killed on Saturday afternoon in the logging camp near here.

Mitchell was working getting out some logs for a landing, and had got up on a stump and signalled the engineer to go ahead and haul out a log. The end of the log, as it was being hauled out, struck against a small rotten tree, which came down, striking Mitchell, and he was dead before his comrades reached him. The deceased came here from Vancouver, and nothing is known of his past history, or where his relations live.

The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon from the Episcopal church, Rev. Mr. Allen officiating.

SHAMROCKS ARRIVE.

Eastern Team to Play Westminster Has Reached Royal City.

(Special to the Times.)

New Westminster, Sept. 29.—The Shamrock team, of Montreal, arrived here yesterday afternoon. The party consists of nineteen, including the manager, trainer, three spare men and the captain.

The team to play against New Westminster to-morrow will be Martin, Howard, O'Reilly, Kavanagh, Finlayson, Smith, Currie, Robinson, Hoobin, McKeown, J. T. Brennan and P. J. Brennan.

The referee decided upon is C. Cullin, Victoria, with President Ditchburn as alternate.

Manager Hughes says his team will not play in any other city in the province.

END OF FAMILY QUARREL.

Man Shot by Brother While Beating His Mother

(Associated Press.)

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 29.—While Thomas Ward was beating his mother and threatening to kill her, his brother, Michael, shot him through the head last night, inflicting a wound from which he died a few minutes later. The shooting closed a day of strife in which the entire family had joined.

Two men are dead and three terribly injured as the result of an explosion of a blast furnace at Dequesne, Pa.

A band of Arouts while in Servian territory attacked the village of Mirkonvitsch, but retired after a two hours' fusilade. Within a few months the Arouts have killed 12 Servian soldiers and 16 peasants, and have wounded nine soldiers and eleven peasants.

NON-UNION MAN'S HOME DYNAMITED

ANOTHER OUTRAGE IN STRIKE REGION

Miners on Way to Work Beaten by Strikers—Twenty-First Week of Struggle.

(Associated Press.)

Mahanoy City, Pa., Sept. 29.—The home of Michael Weldon here was dynamited at midnight. The front of the house was shattered and the windows of all the other houses in the block were broken. Weldon was not at home when the explosion occurred. His family escaped without injury. Weldon has been doing non-union work at Schuylkill colliery.

Twenty-First Week.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 29.—The twenty-first week of the hard coal strike began to-day. The operators say that they have more men at work to-day than they had on any day last week.

At strike headquarters the reports showed that there had been no break in the ranks of strikers.

Several battalions of militia scoured the Wyoming regions to-day, but found no crowds assembled at any of the mines. Sheriff Jacobs says that the troops will be called upon when there is an outbreak to suppress, but that they will not do police duty, and no soldiers will be placed behind the barricades at the mines.

Attacks By Strikers.

Pottsville, Pa., Sept. 29.—The miners' train on the Pennsylvania railroad, bound for the Richards colliery, near Mt. Carmel, was stopped by a mob this morning, who refused to allow the train to proceed. The train was so stoned that only two window panes were left unbroken. Most of the men aboard got under the seats and escaped injury. The passengers on the train consisted of carpenters, repairmen and pumpmen for the Richards colliery. No attempt is being made to work this morning.

Three men on their way to work at the Pennsylvania colliery at Grand Ridge were pulled off a trolley car by a mob and severely beaten.

Cars Loaded for Market.

Pottsville, Pa., Sept. 29.—The shipments of coal last week from the Philadelphia & Reading Western and operating Good Spring and Brookside collieries and the Kalmia washery were not as great as the week previous, but seventy cars which were loaded last week are on the sidings ready to be sent down the road. It is claimed that there are 50,000 tons of loose coal in Good Springs colliery alone which can be prepared for market without a miner driving a pick. This comes from what are called "runs." The veins are on an incline and the coal, after a quantity has been removed below, begins to run to the gangway. Owing to the high price of coal the culmbanks will probably be more profitable than ever. The Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Company has surveyors at work designating sites for the erection of washeries at different points. Among these are Swatasa and Donaldson, where great culmbanks exist, which were dumped 40 years ago and are one half coal.

No Signs of End.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 29.—President Mitchell and Secretary Wilson, of the United Mine Workers, arrived here this morning from Pittsburg. They were met at the Pennsylvania railway station by District Presidents Nicholls, Fahey and Duffy, of the three anthracite coal districts. The labor leaders went to the office of John J. Eagan, business agent of the Machinists' International Union, and later to the Hotel Walton, where the party remained in secret conference until nearly noon, when Mr. Wilson and the three district presidents hurried away from the hotel. The three presidents refused to talk to reporters, or say anything about their future movements.

Secretary Wilson told a reporter for the Associated Press that there is no indication of an early ending of the strike.

Striker Dies From Injuries.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 29.—Joseph Gillis, the striker who was shot at West Nanticoke yesterday, by James Sweeney, a deputy, died in the hospital at this city this morning. Sweeney was given a preliminary hearing before Justice Williams and was committed to jail.

The Receiver Question.

New York, Sept. 29.—Among those in the city interested in the railroad and other companies affected by the suit brought in Boston to put these companies into the hands of a receiver owing to the coal strike, the opinion is general that no result can be expected from such action.

Frederick Underwood, president of the Erie Railroad, is quoted as having said: "From my point of view it is a legal question purely. They can, under law, put the coal roads into the hands of a receiver, or they cannot. I assume that the relief they seek must necessarily be slow by this plan."

To Dredge for Coal.

New York, Sept. 29.—Owing to the high prices for coal, an organized plan for securing supplies of the "dusky diamonds" from the waters of Long Island Sound will be put in operation this week, says a Bridgeport, Conn., dispatch to the Times. Many barges laden with anthracite have been wrecked in the sound. A company has been organized to recover this coal by means of "sweep" boats, which will be used to locate the wrecks. A diver will be sent down to each wreck, and if the outlook is satisfactory powerful pumps will be put to work, the coal will be sucked up and run over a screen and into the dredger.

CAUGHT IN TYPHOON.

Several Steamers Go Ashore at Yokohama—Feared Heavy Loss of Life.

(Associated Press.)

Yokohama, Sept. 29.—A severe typhoon swept over Yokohama to-day. Several steamers were swept ashore here. It is feared that there have been fearful losses.

Five Hundred Drowned.

Yokohama, Sept. 29.—During the typhoon to-day a tidal wave swept the Odawara district near here, and overwhelmed many houses. Five hundred persons are reported to have been drowned.

CABLE SHIP COLONIA MAKES GOOD PROGRESS

Sighted Last Week by a Barque Between Cape Flattery and Fanning Islands.

(Associated Press.)

San Francisco, Sept. 29.—The barque Vidette, from San Pedro, reports that on September 23rd she sighted a steamer laying a cable.

This was no doubt the Colonia, which left Bamfield Creek some days ago for the purpose of laying the British-Australian cable between Vancouver and Fanning Islands.

The position of the vessel when seen by the Vidette was about midway between Cape Flattery and Fanning Islands, and indicated good progress in the work.

At Fanning Island the station is said to be in full readiness for the cable. Other steamers are engaged in the laying of the cable between Fanning and New Zealand.

DEATH ROLL INCREASING.

Bodies of Six Hundred Victims of the Storms in Sicily Are Awaiting Burial.

(Associated Press.)

London, Sept. 29.—A dispatch from Rome says that the death roll resulting from the recent hurricanes in Sicily is swelling. The bodies of six hundred persons are now awaiting burial, and as means for their prompt interment are lacking, there are grave fears of an epidemic.

SORRY HE IS LEAVING.

The Czar Expresses Regret at Departure of United States Ambassador From St. Petersburg.

(Associated Press.)

St. Petersburg, Sept. 29.—The Czar has expressed personally and through Count Lamsdorff, the foreign minister, his regret at the approaching departure of Charlemagne Tower, the American ambassador here, who has been transferred to Berlin, alluding appreciatively to the cordial intercourse which he maintained with the Imperial government throughout his mission, and general regret is also expressed in court circles and in society. Mr. Tower's mission was marked by a complete absence of any unpleasantness.

NO FREIGHT BOCKADE.

Dawson Merchandise Going Through With Little Interruption at White Horse.

Cheerful news of the transportation conditions in the north was received from Skagway through the return of the steamer Amur on Sunday. The officers of the ship obtained information from most reliable sources that there is no congestion of freight at White Horse, and that none is expected; that in addition to the 1,000 tons of freight which was awaiting shipment when the steamer sailed and would, it was thought, be forwarded to its destination without any difficulty, from 2,500 to 3,000 tons could yet be handled before navigation closed. The water in the rivers was falling slowly and there was much bad weather, but the wind continued from the south and so long as these conditions prevailed railroad and steamboat men did not anticipate any sudden freeze-up. Captain McLeod, of the Amur, states that all the river boats are still running. They have lately been carrying rails and other material for the construction of the railway along the creeks.

The Amur had about thirty passengers on her return, all but four of whom were landed at Vancouver, in addition to the small amount of treasure she brought from the north. In coming through Clarence straits the Cottage City was passed in tow of the tug Pioneer. The Cottage City was then about forty miles from the scene of her mishap and, though in tow of the Pioneer, had steam up in her own boilers. As the Amur passed she exchanged salutes.

The Amur will sail en route for Skagway this evening carrying a heavy freight, principally for Atlin.

THREE FUGITIVES FOUND IN BARN

HANSEN GAVE POLICE VERY LIVELY CHASE

Two of Them Sentenced to Six Months' Imprisonment for Stealing—A Tarpaulin Theft.

Charles Hansen, Harold Emery and Alex. Vasilatos, the three boys who escaped from the reformatory, or rather the institution which answers the purpose of a reformatory, were caught last night. As usual their capture was attended with a few sensational incidents. For fertility of resource and audacity in crime these youngsters have few equals, and judging by their latest escapade it would seem that the imprisonment they have already undergone was insufficient to teach them to respect the law.

The capture was accomplished by Sergt. Walker and Constables Clayards and Handley, and they certainly had their hands full. They learned that the boys were in hiding in one of the old shacks in the block bounded by Douglas, Blanchard, Yates and View streets. About 9 o'clock they started on their search, which ultimately narrowed down to an old stable. Inspection of the ground floor disclosed nothing, and the police decided to look higher. Then they discovered their quarry or rather the quarry discovered themselves, for they climbed out from their hiding place just inside the gable, to the roof. Sergeant Walker climbed after them, the constables watching below.

Young Hansen wasn't to be caught so easily. He ran along the roof, jumped to that of an adjoining shack, and thence to the ground, eluding both constables who were on the other side of the fence. He then scooted through an alley to Yates street, followed by the constables. Up Yates dashed the fugitive with his pursuers hot on the trail. Reaching Blanchard, he turned toward the north, but he was being hard pressed. Both the constables were members of the police basketball team, and they were in good trim. Hansen's course was finished at Fisguard street, and he was at once taken to the police station.

In the meantime Sergt. Walker had collared the other boys. There were three of them, the newcomer being a Spring Ridge incorrigible by the name of Bates. The officer was compelled to remain on the roof with his captives until the constables came to his assistance. He couldn't let the lads get down first, for they would be off like a shot. He couldn't get down first himself, for they would emulate Hansen and escape by jumping to an adjoining roof. Eventually all of them were gathered in.

But there is a more serious aspect to their escapade than merely giving the officers trouble to catch them. They stole a tarpaulin sheet belonging to H. Fox, of the Yates street dye works, on Saturday, using it for covering while they slept. The theft was reported to the police about 10 o'clock Saturday night, and knowing that Hansen and his companions were still at large the authorities at once suspected them. The boys slept in a vacant shack, between Yates and View street, on Saturday night.

When they escaped from the reformatory they went in the direction of Spring Ridge, where they picked up Bates. They pilfered a bakery wagon to satisfy their hunger, and when night fell sneaked to the city. As the section between Yates and View street was one of their old-time haunts, they knew every nook and corner of it, so they decided to spend the night there. Having nothing to sleep on they stole the canvas sheet which was in Fox's back yard, and probably a quilt, which was found in their possession.

In the police court this morning Hansen and Emery were sentenced to six months' imprisonment for the theft of the sheet, their term to commence upon the expiration of their present sentence. Hansen has four months to serve before he will commence the term imposed on him this morning. He is fourteen years of age, Emery is twelve and Vasilatos eleven. The charge against the latter was not pressed.

RECORD PASSAGE.

Pass of Brander Made Voyage From Algoa Bay in Ninety-Nine Days.

Ninety-nine days from Algoa Bay to the Royal Roads is a new record passage which the British ship Pass of Brander, Captain Rayder, has established.

The Pass of Brander arrived on Saturday and Captain Rayder, who is ashore to-day, is receiving congratulations from many shipping men. Speaking of the long voyage he said that he encountered no very severe weather and no such succession of winds astern as might be expected where a vessel makes such splendid time. No ships were sighted and no incident happened to while away the tediousness of the passage.

The Pass of Brander is an iron four-masted ship of 1,995 tons register. She comes here seeking and is in ballast. Her passage beats that which stands to the credit of Captain James, of the Edderside, by nine days, and is likely to remain a record for some considerable time.

On Saturday the Columbian insurgents fired on a launch carrying a commissioner over to interview Gen. Herrera. The launch was flying the white flag.

Five men were killed in a railway wreck at Rawlins, Wyo., on Saturday.

English Balsam of Aniseed

It would be unwise to offer a cough remedy in these days no better than the many good ones already on the market. The great merits of English Balsam of Aniseed have spread over nine States without being advertised in a single daily paper.

There is no remedy half its equal for coughs and colds. There is no case of lung or throat trouble in young or old it will not help or cure. Price 25c. per bottle.

Campbell's Prescription Store,
Corner Fort and Douglas Sts., VICTORIA.

SAD SHOOTING FATALITY IN EAST

MAN SHOT BROTHER IN MISTAKE FOR GAME

Toronto Alderman Will Give Wood to the Poor—Fighting Between Royal Canadians and Police.

Burk's Falls, Ont., Sept. 27.—While hunting in the township of Baurier, Wellington Middleton mistook his brother George for game in the bushes and shot him dead.

Cannot Fill Orders.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—Several Toronto brewers clubbed together and cabled to Wales for a cargo of coal. A reply has been received, refusing the order and stating that the companies have already more business than they can handle.

Fuel for Poor.

Ald. Sorter has notified the city council that he has 6,000 cords of wood within 40 miles of Toronto which he will give to the city for distribution among the poor this winter, in view of the scarcity of coal in the city. He will have the wood cut and brought into town.

Disorderly Soldiers.

Halifax, Sept. 27.—A number of Royal Canadian soldiers, who were disorderly on Barrington street last night, came into conflict with the police and serious trouble followed. Several arrests were made, but the police were not strong enough to disperse the thousand people who gathered at the police station, where the soldiers made threats to rescue their comrades. The Imperial authorities were notified and 50 Royal Engineers were dispatched to the city hall in readiness for any emergency, while the Royal Artillery was ordered out to patrol the streets. The Canadians soon after returned to barracks and no further trouble occurred.

Acquitted.

Louis D. Bailey, a former conductor of the Toronto Street Railway Co., held here on a charge of using a "digger" to extract money and tickets from a fare box, was acquitted this afternoon by a jury.

Montreal Won.

Deseronto, Ont., Sept. 27.—The Montreal Field Battery to-day won the Oswald cup. The cup is the blue ribbon of the Dominion field batteries falling to the battery with the highest aggregate.

Petition Dismissed.

Bowmanville, Ont., Sept. 27.—The election petition against Robert Beith, M. P., was dismissed this morning by Judge Falconbridge.

VICTIMS OF STORM.

Heavy Loss of Life Reported From Sicily, Where Tempest Still Rages.

Rome, Sept. 27.—Advices received this evening from Sicily show that the tempest that worked such damage in that island is still raging. Details of the storm multiply the number of deaths. On the east coast 370 bodies have been recovered, and the sea continues to give up corpses which were swept down by the torrents from the interior. It is estimated that more than 500 bodies have already been recovered. At least 300 lives were lost at Modica. The churches there are filled with dead, and the cemeteries are covered with mud rendering the interment of the bodies of the victims impossible. Salvage operations continue, troops and peasants working without intermission.

At Sortino (16 miles from Syracuse) the cyclone continued 15 hours. The rains which have followed the cyclone continued 15 hours, and have aggravated the disaster in the country, sweeping down bridges and interrupting railway traffic.

Volcanoes Active.

Ontania, Sept. 27.—The whole country about Mount Etna has suffered greatly. Mount Etna is sending up a thick column of steam from the vicinity of the scene of the eruption of 1892. Two fresh craters have opened on Stromboli since September 14th.

IN MARTINIQUE.

Mount Pelee Is Quiet and Inhabitants Are Recovering From Panic.

Paris, Sept. 27.—M. Lemaire, governor of the Island of Martinique, cabled today to the French colonial office that the Mount Pelee volcano is now quiet, and that the inhabitants are recovering from their panic. It was decided to close the northern portion of the island to all the inhabitants, and the residents of the villages thus abandoned are now crowded into Fort de France. They will be settled at points in the centre and south of the island, in such a manner that the vanished communes will reappear in their integrity, and with the same inhabitants who will have the same municipal rights as they enjoyed in their former homes. The minister of the colonies, M. Doumergue, is also arranging for the transportation of those without homes to French Guiana and the Island of Guadaloupe.

CRIME IN NEW YORK.

Wealthy Manufacturer Drugged and Then Murdered—Several Arrests Have Been Made.

New York, Sept. 27.—J. B. Craft, a wealthy resident of Glen Cove, L. I., was murdered to-day and his body decapitated in a tenderloin resort known as the Empire Garden Cafe, in West 29th street, within a few doors of Broadway.

All the evidence goes to show that Craft, who had been making the rounds of the "tenderloin," incautiously displayed a large amount of money in the Empire, and was killed by one of the waiters known as Thomas Tobin for the purpose of robbery. The police say that "knockout drops" were first administered, and that the victim was dragged into the basement and killed with a cleaver. The odor of burning flesh attracted the attention of the occupants of the upper part of the house early in the morning, and led to the discovery by detectives of the nude and headless body of a man in the basement. The charred head was discovered in the furnace, in which a fire had been recently lighted, with the evident intention of destroying all possibility of identification of the remains. Later the body was identified by Walter Craft, of Glen Cove, as that of his father. The murdered man was about 51 years old, and was a manufacturer of refrigerating machinery in Cortland street, this city.

Tobin, who is charged with the murder, was caught hiding in the house. The police also arrested Alexander McAnerney, the bartender; Robt. Kelly, a porter in a Chinese restaurant in the building, and several women who were known to be frequenters of the place. The police said to-night that Tobin's real name is Thomas Kelly, and that he is brother of the porter Kelly. They also learned that Craft attempetd to get a check for $1,250 cashed before he went to the Empire. A woman named Mamie Moore, who is known to have been in the place with Craft, and who is held as a witness, made an important statement to-night, which the police declined to make public. She is said to have implicated McAnerney as an accomplice of Tobin.

Since September 13th there have been four startling murders in the tenderloin. On that date Nicholas Fish, the wealthy banker, was killed by Thomas Sharkey. On the following day the brutal murder and mutilation of Anna Nealson Paulitzer took place. To-day Craft was murdered and decapitated, and within a few blocks of the scene of this crime Harry Crose, a theatrical man, shot and killed his wife.

There are now 29 homicide cases in the Tombs.

TRANSFER OF RAILWAY.

Pekin, Sept. 27.—Simultaneously with the Russian transfer to China of the Shan Hai Kwan New Chwang railroad, Sir Ernest Satow, British minister, yesterday handed over to China the British portion of the Shan Hai Kwan railroad station, and the British are now transferring their shops and other works with the intention of making a complete restoration of the road at the earliest possible date.

The delegates to the International Maritime conference at Hamburg spent Saturday in discussing jurisdiction in collision. It is the general impression that the conference has been successful. Probably the International Maritime committee will ask Belgium to take the initiative in inviting the other powers to consider the establishment of uniformity of laws.

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THE TOBACCO COMBINE.

Its Progress Will Be Watched With Interest—Views of Official.

London, Sept. 27.—The text of an official statement regarding the amalgamation of the British and American interests which takes the form of a new company, to be known as the British-American Tobacco Company, in which both the Imperial and American companies are represented, is as follows:

"The business of Ogdens' limited has been transferred to the Imperial Tobacco Company and the expert business of the Imperial, Ogdens and the American Tobacco Company and its allies have been amalgamated and a joint company is in course of formation under the name of the British-American Tobacco Co., Ltd. The result is that the Imperial Co. will, as agreed between the hitherto competing parties, be left in possession of the trade of the United Kingdom, while the American Co. is not to be disturbed in United States or Cuba, and the British-America Company will compete for the trade in other parts of the world. J. B. Duke, R. H. Walters and Thomas Ogdken will be elected to seats on the Imperial board, and the first directors of the British-American Co. will consist of Sir Wm. Henry Wills, J. B. Duke, J. B. Cobb, H. Y. Wills, W. R. Harris, C. E. Lambert, W. W. Fuller, W. G. Player, C. C. Duke, Hugo Von A. Cunliffe-Owen, Percival S. Hill, Thomas Gracey, W. B. Ogden, R. R. Walters, P. R. Walters, Thomas Ogden, Percy Ogden and Harold Roberts.

"The transfer of Ogdens' English business will take effect September 30th, and from that day it will be in the hands of the Imperial Co."

It is believed this combination is the first attempt to unite any great international industry, and its progress will be watched with interest everywhere. It may mark a new development in the direction of British and American interests joining hands, instead of competing against each other in the sphere of commerce.

An official of the American Company says: "Regarding the details you can say that the capital of the British-American Company will be $30,000,000. While it is convenient to register it as an English company, and have its headquarters in London, we have named 12 directors, and the Imperial company's interests have named six. Their respective financial interests are two-thirds American and one-third English. There is nothing to prevent transferring the headquarters to the United States if it ever proves more convenient to operate there. But at present the business can be best carried on in London. The Cuban provision insures for the Americans the cigar business of the island, of which we now control 80 per cent. The Imperial company throws into the new company its colonial business, so with our trade outside the United States, the British-American company starts with a ready-made business of $4,000,000 in cigarettes alone. Regarding the Imperial company's factories in the United States, concerning which considerable matter has been printed in England, they are merely leaf factories, and will be operated for that purpose."

DISPERSED BY TROOPS.

Miners at Sturgeonville, Pa., Attacked By Strikers.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 27.—When the employees of the Eastern mine, of the Lehigh Valley Coal Co., at Sturgeonville, started to go home to-night, they were waylaid by a crowd of strikers, who drove them back into the barricade with a volley of stones. Two companies from the 9th Regiment, of this city, were dispatched to the scene on a special train. Upon the arrival of the troops the crowd dispersed.

Three Arrests.

Scranton, Pa., Sept. 27.—Sheriff Schadt received a telegram to-night saying that three men arrested at Hoboken on suspicion of being the Hungarians who murdered James Winston at Grassy island on Wednesday morning, have been identified as the right men.

The Lackawanna region is free from disturbance to-day. The troops kept up their patrolling and succeeded in preventing workmen from being molested.

A Conference.

Pittsburg, Sept. 27.—President Mitchell and Secretary-Treasurer Wilson, of the United Mine Workers of America, arrived in this city to-day. To-night, after a conference, both gentlemen stated that there was no special significance attached to their meeting.

THE BOXER TROUBLE.

Rear-Admiral Evans Will Report On Situation in Provinces of China.

Washington, Sept. 27.—Rear-Admiral Robley D. Evans, second in command on the Asiatic station, has been sent up the great Yangtse river to investigate and report upon the situation in the provinces of China, which, according to recent advices from United States Minister Conger, may soon become the scene of another Boxer uprising.

The navy department received a cablegram from Admiral Evans to-day stating that he transferred his flag from the battleship Kentucky to the gunboat Helena, and sailed from Woosong for Ichang, the highest point on the river to which a vessel of the Helena's draft can go. Ichang is about 800 miles from the mouth of the Yangtse. About 100 miles to the west is the eastern border of Sze Chuan province, in which the massacre of native Christians and the destruction of the chapels erected by the missionaries occurred.

NEWFOUNDLAND'S GOVERNOR.

Sir Cavendish Boyle Sails From New York for London Next Saturday.

St. Johns, Nfld., Sept. 27.—Sir Cavendish Boyle, Governor of Newfoundland, will leave here to-morrow for England. He will go by way of New York, sailing from that city next Saturday on the Cunard liner Etruria. While in New York he will confer with Premier Bond with regard to the negotiations for reciprocity between the United States and Newfoundland and other colonial questions in order that he may discuss them with British Colonial Secretary Joseph Chamberlain.

If all the eggs of fish came to maturity, the ocean would be choked with their bodies.

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FATAL ACCIDENT AT COOK'S INLET

VICTORIAN DROWNED WHILE PROSPECTING

John A. Bradley Met His Doom on the River Named After Himself—Body Not Found

E. W. Bradley, assistant city clerk, has received the sad news of the drowning of his father, John A. Bradley, at Cook's Inlet, Alaska, on August 14th. Communication between that remote part of the world and this city is extremely irregular, which accounts for the delay. Details of the deplorable occurrence are contained written by Mr. Bradley's companion to the former's son as follows:

"On the 13th your father and myself started for Bradley river intending to pass some days there prospecting the shoals above the canyon, as the company wanted, if possible, to have a placer claim. The day was lovely and we looked forward to a pleasant outing, as the last time we were at the river it was placid and quiet, and a fine place to camp. On reaching the river we found that, owing to the heavy rains in the mountains, the river was high and the current so strong that rowing against it was not to be thought of, so we towed the boat upon the slack side of the river, but could only get up to the Willows, just opposite the first grove of trees, and just below a rapid, about half to three-quarters of a mile below the canyon. There we camped on the beach, but as it was already afternoon, and we had had a long pull, did not try to go round. That night the wind blew down the canyon so hard that the tent was blown over, but before we were in it. In the morning it was dark and threatening. We walked over to the canyon, but the water was so high that we could not reach the shoal, so we took bearings from the shore and stuck up notice, though anyone could, by taking possession, make the company's claim to location void; we then returned to the boat, as it was no use, in the then state of the river, to remain longer, and started for Bear Cove.

"Just below where we were camping the river makes a sharp bend, almost at right angles, and the current is thrown into this angle with great force. As we were approaching it, your father, who had the bow oar, said, 'We had better keep in the current'; then at the same time, 'Look out, there is a tree!' I turned and saw projecting from the shore, at the angle, a fallen tree about 20 to 30 feet long, the tree being just at the height of the boat. Hardly had he spoken when the boat struck the tree, turned over, and we sank in the river. When I came up I was some distance below the boat and almost unconscious with the cold water and current. I saw near me, sticking from the water, a small branch, and caught it long enough to see another overhanging the bank lower down. To this I swam, and as the bank was too steep to pull myself up, I let myself down by twigs until reaching a place where I could drag myself out.

"On gaining the bank I looked and searched for Mr. Bradley, hoping that in some way he might have reached the opposite bank at the next bend, lower down. He was not there, nor could I find any trace of him. Everything in the boat was washed out by the fearful current, and being swept down stream, so that it is hardly possible that he could have been caught in it; in fact, he went over at the same moment as I did, and must have sunk as I did, the general belief here among the guides being that he never rose to the surface, but was kept down by the current. If this is so, he could not have suffered or known anything after striking the water.

"I was very fond of Mr. Bradley, his lovely, kind disposition and thoughtfulness for the comfort of others, his cheerfulness under all and every circumstance, won friends for him everywhere, and here the entire community feel his loss as if one of their own family had been taken from them.

"It took me three days, owing to difficulty in crossing the river, swollen by the rains, and running swift, to reach here. I had no food, except some berries, and was wet all the time. I got here night of the 17th, and as I had no boat, had to wait for someone to come from the other side of Bear Cove peninsula, near the island. I met Mr. Gilpatrick, the guide, and a gentleman and his wife camping out. They gave me warm tea and food, and Gilpatrick rowing me round and said he would send some Indians to me as soon as he found any. At this season they are nearly all near Saldwin fishing. I wanted to send up to the river to learn if anything had occurred, and if any trace of Mr. Bradley had been found. On the 22nd they came up from the Aurora camp—the housekeeper and a young Swede (there is no one but them and another young Swede at the camp now)—to find out what had happened, as there was a report that the boat had been found bottom up, and with them I went to Aurora, and thence to Homer, to get aid in searching the river."

Up to the time the letter was written the body had not been recovered.

The late Mr. Bradley was formerly in the commission business on Yates street, previous to which, however, he had been connected with the late W. B. Clarke, auctioneer, and subsequently Cowan & Shaw & Co., and A. B. Gray & Co. In association with the firm of Messrs. Hornberg & Co., New York, he was interested in a large area of land at Cook's Inlet, an inlet of Behring Sea, the idea being its colonization and development by Norwegians and Finlanders. The river in which he met his death is named after himself.

He leaves a widow and two sons and a daughter in this city, E. W. and P. K. Bradley, and Mrs. O. S. Batchelor, a son, J. A. Bradley, in New York, and another, N. A. Bradley, in Panama.

SEATTLE'S MAYOR.

Thomas B. Humes Found in Woods—Was Unable to Travel Owing to Sprained Ankle.

Seattle, Sept. 27.—Mayor Thomas B. Humes was found to-day by a searching party in the woods north of Lake Washington. Mayor Humes slipped and sprained his ankle last Thursday afternoon while chasing a bear. A storm came up and he lost his way. He slept in a hollow log on Thursday night and last night, and was unable to travel much owing to the condition of his ankle. His only food was huckleberries. A searching party started out this morning and found the Mayor without any trouble. He has been brought to his home, where he is suffering from exhaustion.

CIVILIZING THE GYPSIES.

Effort in Hungary to Force the Romany to Work and Sleep Under a Roof.

A bold experiment is to be tried by the Hungarian government. According to our Vienna correspondent, it proposes to civilize the gypsies by force. From the time of the great immigration in the fifteenth century, if not before, the "Egyptians" have always been exceedingly numerous in southern Europe. It is not easy to take a census of a nomadic people, but if any dependence may be placed upon official estimates, Hungary may almost claim to be what our correspondent calls it—the "Promised Land" of the race. If, as is believed, its gypsy population reaches 160,000, it possesses more than a quarter of the total for all Europe. Roumania, however, contains an even larger number, the old Wallachian province having been one of their greatest strongholds. Governments, especially of the paternal continental pattern, have generally looked upon these Bohemian wanderers as a nuisance, and have sometimes taken very strong measures for their suppression, though in most cases with slight success.

For the matter of that, the proposals now being considered at Buda Pesth are sufficient drastic. A commission of experts has recommended that every town and village in Hungary shall have a number of gypsies allotted to it, whether they like it or not. They are to be trained to handicrafts or to agricultural labor, and such of them as refuse to bend their necks to the yoke are to be gathered into two great reformatories holding 1,000 recalcitrants each. There is a touch of the grotesque in the notion that a people who have been ceaselessly on the move for many centuries will at once reconcile themselves to regular hours and to sleeping under a roof, for all the world like the stationary Gentiles for whom they often feel so much contempt. But perhaps the contemplated measures are intended less for actual enforcement than to frighten away the Romany, who might prefer to cross the Transylvania frontier into Roumania.

This is by no means the first time that attempts have been made in the Austro-Hungarian monarchy to constrain the gypsies to lead a settled life. No less a ruler than Maria Theresa tried her hand at it, and had them, or as many as could be caught, instructed in agriculture, exactly as is now proposed. On the whole, the endeavor was a failure, although a small proportion of them did settle down to trades or to pastoral pursuits—the Hungarian nomads have long been famous workers in brass and iron—and left descendants whose mode of life in no way differs from that of their Gentile neighbors. Those measures, however, were mild, indeed, compared with the cruel persecutions which had fallen to the lot of these unlucky people in earlier days, for even at the end of the eighteenth century charges somewhat similar to the accusations of "ritual murder" that are still brought against the Jews in certain ignorant and superstitious communities were made against the Egyptians in Hungary. In one case, five-and-forty gypsies were racked and executed for killing and eating a number of imaginary victims. We have become so accustomed to tolerance in this country that it is hard to believe that in England, in the time of the grandfathers of men not yet elderly, it was a felony, without benefit of clergy, to consort habitually with "Pharoah's people."

The Hungarian gypsies are, in some respects, exceedingly interesting, since they deserve a good deal more of the ancient lore of their people than is usually the case with those who have travelled further west. In southeastern Europe, to a greater extent than elsewhere, they still keep alive among the peoples a profound belief in witchcraft—their magical ceremonies and medicinal remedies are almost articles of faith with the peasantry in the country, and the lower classes in the towns. Fortune-telling and sorcery, magic that is oftener black than white, the knowledge of amulets and philtres—all this forms what the Zingari call "the old religion," which rests on the belief that men are able to control the forces of the lower world. The Hungarian gypsies have, too, a charming mythology of their own in which the transcendentalism of the mystic is blended with the Teutonic fairy-tale and its Oriental coloring, while their women have long claimed a peculiarly high degree of prophetic illumination. Indeed, one of the Hungarian tribes declares itself to be descended from fairies who carried off mortal girls and took them to wife—a belief that is curiously reminiscent of the verse in Genesis about the sons of God and the daughters of men.—London Evening Standard.

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THE SAANICH SHOW CLOSED SATURDAY

A GOOD SHOWING IN CATTLE AND HORSES

An Excellent Class of Sheep Were Also Exhibited—Large Attendance From the City.

Saturday's attendance at the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society's thirty-fifth annual exhibition was quite gratifying to the management, there being present a large number of visitors from the city and a good turnout of the farmers of the district.

The show in some respects excelled that held in former years, but, for all, might have been more representative of the district. There are several big stock farms in the district that had not shown a single exhibit. As expected the exhibition demonstrated that the farmers in the district have within the last few years made some big advances in the improvement of their herds. The cattle especially were pretty well represented in each class, there being a fairly good showing of Durham, Jersey, Holstein, Ayreshires and graded cattle. One of the most attractive animals on the grounds was that of a monster bull, weighting 2,250 pounds, and belonging to R. E. Knowles. This bull, as may be supposed, was a Durham, but while he was the largest there were a number of young animals which promised to equal, if not surpass, him in size, not a few being Eastern bred.

Next to the cattle, the best showing was made in horses. There was exhibited a splendid class of light and heavy draught animals, and all looked in the pink of condition. Sheep, too, made a good display, as might be expected from the increased interest taken in the raising of them throughout the district. But there was a poor exhibit of hogs.

Included in the poultry was an exhibit of an entirely new breed in this province, that of the Rhode Island reds, of which a very fine pair were shown by George Anderson. Among other varieties were some Cochins, Plymouth Rocks Leghorns, Bantams, Dorkins, Buff Orpingtons and Minorcas.

The exhibits within the hall were excellent in so far as their number went, but there was room for a much larger display. This would undoubtedly have been made had it not been for the threatening weather of the forenoon and the previous day, when rain fell heavily. Reference to the fruit and other displays was made in the Times on Saturday.

During the afternoon a racing programme was carried out, and other amusements provided for the entertainment of all. In addition the Sehl-Bantly orchestra was in attendance, and during the day provided music, also furnishing the programme for the dance, which brought the exhibition to a successful conclusion in the evening.

The prize list follows:

DIVISION 1.—CATTLE.

Best Herd—Bull and 4 females, Daily Colonist for 1 year, value $6, 1, Haldon Bros. Bull, any age or breed, case of claret, value $8, 1, R. E. Knowles. Milch cow, 1 box Judson stumping powder, value $6, 1, Le Poer Trench. Two fat cattle for butcher, 1 box stumping powder, value $6, 1, Haldon Bros.

Durham—Bull, 3 years old and over, 1, R. E. Knowles. Bull, 2 years old, 1, G. Sangster; 2, R. E. Knowles. Bull, 1 year old, 1, X. Marcotte. Bull, calf, 1, R. E. Knowles; 2, J. Bryce. Cow, 1, Le Poer Trench; 2, W. Thompson. Heifer, 2 years old, 1, J. Bryce. Heifer, 1 year old, 1, J. Bryce. Heifer, calf, 1, A. Munro; 2, G. Sangster.

Jersey—Bull, 3 years old and over, 1, C. R. John. Bull, calf, 1, G. B. Dyne. Cow, 1, J. Camp; 2, G. B. Dyne. Heifer, 2 years old, 1, Le Poer Trench; 2, E. R. John. Heifer, 1 year old, 1, E. R. John; 2, H. C. Shelton. Heifer calf, 1, E. R. John.

Holstein—Cow, 4, G. Kenny; 2, W. Thompson. Heifer calf, 1, F. Turgoose.

Ayrshires—Cow, 1, W. Thompson; 2, C. Birch. Heifer calf, 1, F. Turgoose.

Polled Angus—Bull, 3 years and over, 1, Holden Bros. Bull calf, 1 and 2, Holden Bros. Cow, 1 and 2, Holden Bros. Heifer, 2 years old, 1, Holden Bros. Heifer, 1 year old, 1, Holden Bros. Heifer calf, 1 and 2, Holden Bros.

Graded—Cow, 1st prize, travelling case, value $5.50; 2nd prize, pair shoes, value $2.50; 1, F. Turgoose; 2, G. B. Dyne. Heifer, 2 years old, 1st prize, hat, value $3.50; 2nd prize, knife, value $2; 1, G. Kenney; 2, Le Poer Trench. Heifer, yearling, 1st prize, hat, value $2.50; 2nd, Semi-Weekly Colonist, value $1.50; 1, G. Kenny; 2, Le Poer Trench. Heifer calf, 1st prize, silk shirt, value $2; 2nd prize, creamery can, value $1.50; 1 and 2, F. Turgoose.

DIVISION 2.—SHEEP.

Cotswold—Ram, 2 shears and over, 1, Holden Bros. Ram, shearling, 1, T. Sandover; 2, X. Marcotte. Ram lamb, 1 and 2, Holden Bros. Two ewes, 1 and 2, Holden Bros. Shearling ewe, 1 and 2, Holden Bros. Two ewe lambs, 1 and 2, Holden Bros.

Southdowns—Ram, 2 shears and over, 1, J. Shopland; ram, shearling, 1, G. Sangster. Ram lamb, 1 and 2, J. Shopland. Two ewes, 1 and 2, J. Shopland. Ewe shearling, 1 and 2, J. Shopland. Two ewe lambs, 1 and 2, J. Shopland.

Oxford Downs—Two ewes, 1, C. Birch; 2, G. Sangster. Two ewe lambs, 1, F. Turgoose.

Shropshire—Ram, 2 shears and over, 1, C. Birch; 2, F. Turgoose. Ram, shearling, 1, G. Kenny. Ram lamb, 1, F. Turgoose; 2, F. Turgoose. Two ewe lambs, 1, C. Birch; 2, F. Turgoose.

DIVISION 3.—HORSES.

Heavy Draught—Stallion, 1, J. Bryce; 2, J. Bryce. Span horses, 1, J. Bryce. Single horse, 1, C. Imrie; 2, W. Heal. Three-year-old gelding or filly, 1, R. E. Knowles; 2, P. Imrie. Two-year-old gelding or filly, 1, J. Bryce; 2, R. E. Knowles. Yearling gelding or filly, 1, J. Bryce. Brood mare with foal at foot, 1, R. E. Knowles; 2, J. Bryce. Sucking colt, 1, D. Simpson; 2, R. E. Knowles.

Light Draught Horses—Span horses, 1st prize, Daily Times; 1, J. G. Wrigley. Single horse, 1, A. G. Wrigley. Two-year-old gelding or filly, 1, J. G. McKay. Yearling gelding or filly, 1, X. Marcotte; 2, E. R. John. Brood mare, with foal at foot, 1, Haldon Bros.; 2, G. B. Dyne. Sucking colt, 1, Haldon Bros.; 2, C. Heal. Span horses, 1, Bishop & Clarke; 2, J. G. McKay. Buggy horse, 1, J. Morris; 2, J. Bryce. Saddle horse, 1, Chas. Heal; 2, D. Simpson. Three-year-old gelding or filly, 1, J. Jennings. Yearling gelding or filly, 1, J. Camp.

General Purpose—Team, 1, R. C. McRae; 2, J. J. Rey. Mare and foal, 1, P. Imrie; 2, X. Marcotte. Horse, 1, F. Turgoose; 2, J. J. Rey. Two-year-old gelding or filly, 1, X. Marcotte. Sucking colt, sack or shot, 1, P. Imrie; 2, X. Marcotte.

DIVISION 4.—SWINE.

Berkshire—Boar, 1, Le Poer Trench. Bred boar, under 12 months, 1, F. Turgoose.

Chester Whites—Brood sow, 1, Haldon Bros.

Tamworths—Boar, 1, Haldon Bros. Brood sow, 1, Haldon Bros.; 2, W. A. Bissett. Bred boar, under 12 months, 1, Haldon Bros.; 2, Haldon Bros.

DIVISION 5.—AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.

Fall wheat, 1, J. Hogan; 2, X. Marcotte. Spring wheat, 1, G. Kenny; 2, W. Dean. Chevalier barley, 1, J. Hogan; 2, G. Kenny. Rough barley, 1, X. Marcotte. Oats, 1, W. Neal; 2, W. Dean; 3, J. G. McKay. Field peas, white, 1, J. T. Harrison; 2, J. W. Brethour. Beans, fit for cooking, 1, G. Kenny; 2, J. Hogan. Fodder corn, 1, J. T. Harrison.

Roots, Etc.—Early potatoes, 1, W. Heal; 2, J. Hogan. Late potatoes, 1, W. Le Poer Trench; 2, G. B. Dyne. Swedish turnips, 1, W. A. Bassett; 2, W. Thomson. Aberdeen turnips, 1, A. G. Wrigley; 2, W. Thomson. Any other turnip, 1, F. Turgoose; 2, W. Thomson. Mangold wurtzel, 1, S. Sandover. Long carrots, white, 1, W. Thomson. Long carrots, red, 1, C. E. Birch. Short carrots, white, 1, W. Dean; 2, G. Kenny. Short carrots, red, 1, Le Poer Trench; 2, W. A. Bassett. Onions, 1, Mrs. J. Bell; 2, Miss Veitch. Cabbages, other than Savoy, 1, R. E. Knowles, 2, R. E. Knowles. Beets, 1, A. R. Daniels; 2, S. Sandover. Shallots, 1, F. Turgoose; 2, Miss J. Bell. Savoy cabbages, 1, G. Thomas. Tomatoes, 1, A. McDonald; 2, A. McDonald. Vegetable marrows, 1, A. R. Daniels; 2, Farmer Bros. Squashes, 1, Mrs. J. Bell; 2, H. T. Oldfield. Pumpkins, 1, G. Kenny; 2, Mrs. J. Bell. Cucumbers, 1, G. Thomas; 2, O. R. Daniels. Citron melons, 1, J. J. Rey; 2, J. T. Harrison.

DIVISION 6.—DAIRY, ETC.

Bread, Butter, Etc.—Fresh butter, four pounds, 1, Le Poer Trench; 2, Mrs. Julius Brethour; 3, Mrs. R. F. John. Bread, 1, Mrs. V. Veitch; 2, H. T. Oldfield. Graham bread, 1, Mrs. J. Bell; 2, Miss P. Harrison. Fruit cake, 1, Mrs. E. Walsh; 2, Mrs. A. Munro. Lemon cake, 1, Miss Martindale; 2, Mrs. A. Munro. Cocoanut cake, 1, Miss V. Veitch; 2, Mrs. A. Munro. Heaviest 12 hen eggs, fresh, 1, J. W. Martindale; 2, Mrs. McDonald.

DIVISION 7.—FRUIT.

Apples—Gravenstein, 1, McKay; 2, X. Marcotte. Alexander, 1, F. Neaves; 2, J. T. Harrison. Wealthy, 1, C. F. Walker; 2, J. W. Martindale. Any other fall variety, 1, J. Brethour; 2, J. W. Brethour. Lemon pippin, 1, F. Turgoose; 2, J. Brethour. King of Thompkins, 1, J. G. McKay; 2, R. E. Knowles. Yellow Bellflower, 1, J. G. McKay; 2, Mrs. C. E. Birch. Baldwin, five, 1, J. Brethour; 2, J. G. McKay. Northern Spy, five, 1, Mrs. C. E. Birch; 2, J. J. Brethour. Golden Russet, five, 1, J. Camp; 2, J. W. Brethour. Rhode Island Greening, five, 1, Farmer Bros.; 2, X. Marcotte. Five largest apples, 1, J. J. Rey; 2, J. Camp. Collection of apples, quantity and variety to be considered in judging, five of variety, 30 apple boxes, 1, Thos. A. Brydon; 2, J. Camp.

Other Fruit—Pears, early, 1, G. Kenny; 2, X. Marcotte. Pears, late, 1, Le Poer Trench; 2, Stewart Bros. Plums, 1, Mrs. G. McKenzie; 2, G. Simpson. Peaches, 1, G. Thomas. Quince, orange, 1, G. B. Dyne; 2, F. Turgoose. Quinces, any other variety, 1, Mrs. C. E. Birch. Grapes, outdoor production, 1, G. Kenny. Crab apples, 1, J. Camp; 2, A. G. Wrigley. Box packed apples for shipping, 1, J. G. McKay; 2, J. T. Harrison. Collection of preserved fruit, not more than 12 bottles, 1, Mrs. McKenzie; 2, Mrs. J. G. McKay. Quart bottle vinegar, 1, Miss C. Marcotte. Quart bottle wine, 1, Miss C. Marcotte; 2, G. Thomas. Quart bottle of cider, 1, S. Sandover.

DIVISION 8.—FLORAL.

Fuchsias—1, Mrs. S. Sandover; 2, Miss C. Turgoose. Asters, 1, Miss T. McDonald. Geraniums, 1, Miss C. Turgoose; 2, Miss M. Camp. Pansies, 1, Mrs. Neaves. Begonia, 1, Miss M. Camp; 2, S. Sandover; Carnation, 1, G. B. Dyne. Six potted plants, S. Sandover. Cut Flowers, 1, Miss P. Harrison. Dahlias, 1, Miss P. Harrison. Stocks, 1, S. Sandover. Sweet peas, 1, Mrs. R. Thompson. Hand bouquet, 1, Miss P. Harrison. Table bouquet, S. Sandover.

DIVISION 9.—POULTRY.

Cochins, 1, G. B. Dyne. Plymouth Rocks, 1, H. C. Shelton. White Rocks, 1, A. R. Daniels; 2, G. B. Dyne. Brown Leghorns, 1, Haldon Bros.; 2, Haldon Bros. White Leghorns, 1, D. Simpson. Black Minorcas, 1, D. Simpson. Bantams, 1, C. Bantam. Dorkings, G. B. Dyne. Buff Orpingtons, 1, A. R. Daniels; 2, Farmer Bros. Pekin ducks, 1, G. B. Dyne. Geese, 1, Haldon Bros.; 2, S. Sandover. Pigeons, 1, G. B. Dyne; 2, Haldon Bros. Rabbits, 1, G. B. Dyne; 2, D. Simpson. Canary, 1, S. Sandover; 2, J. Camp.

DIVISION 10.—LADIES' WORK.

Patch work quilt, silk, 1, Miss McNaught. Rag rug, 1, Mrs. J. Rule. Button holes, 6 on linen, 1, Mrs. A. McKenzie. Drawn work, any article, 1, Mrs. S. Brethour; 2, Miss R. Brethour. Tatting, 1, Mrs. S. Brethour. Knitted cotton lace, Mrs. C. Marcotte. Knitted stockings or socks, 1, Mrs. A. Munro; 2, Mrs. J. Rule. Darning stockings or socks, 1, Miss Alena Martindale; 2, Mrs. J. S. Reid. Crochet cotton lace, 1, Mrs. S. Brethour; Hand-made lace, point or honiton, 1, Mrs. Le Poer Trench. Silk embroidery on linen, any article, 1, Miss M. Camp; 2, Miss C. Marcotte. Embroidery, fancy stitches, any article, Mrs. S. Brethour. Flannel embroidery, 1, Mrs. Le Poer Trench. Cotton underwear, handmade, 1, Mrs. Le Poer Trench. Painting on silk or other material, 1, Miss C. Marcotte; 2, Miss R. Brethour. Best sofa pillow, 1, Miss M. Camp; 2, Mrs. L. Brethour. Best pin cushion, 1, Mrs. Brethour; 2, Mrs. R. Thomson.

Girls' Work—Under 16 Years—Knitted socks or stockings, 1, Miss B. Hogan. Button holes, six on linen, 1, Miss M. McKenzie. Drawn work, any article, 1, Miss J. Brethour. Crochet, 1, Miss J. Brethour; 2, Miss C. John.

Boys' or Girls' Work—Under 12 Years—Penmanship, C. Brethour.

Display of Painting and Drawing—Percy Emmerson.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

Best colt, by "Carvel," $15, 1, D. Simpson. By R. H. Johnson, for exhibits grown from seeds supplied by him, 1, G. Kenny. R. Layritz, for best plate of apples off trees purchased from him, 12 fruit trees, 1, Mrs. T. A. Brydon. R. Baker & Son, for collection of oats, barley, wheat and peas, $3, 1, J. T. Harrison. Mrs. Le Poer Trench, for best pair hand knit stockings, case of scissors, 1, Mrs. J. Rule. Sylvester Feed Co., Ltd., 5 packages Condition Powders, for best display of poultry, 1, Daniels.

MORE DUNCANS PRIZES.

Which Completes the List Awarded at the Cowichan Exhibition.

The following prizes were awarded at the Duncans show after the departure of the Times representative for Victoria on Saturday morning:

DAIRY.

Printed butter—1, Miss Chisome; 2, Mrs. Newhouse. Fresh butter—1, Mrs. Newhouse; 2, Miss Chisome. Honey—Miss C. Duncan, only entry.

WINES AND PRESERVES.

Home-made wine—1, D. Evans. Pot of jelly—1, Mrs. Newhouse; 2, Mrs. Drummond; 3, Mrs. W. A. Woods. Pot of currant jelly—1, Mrs. Drummond. Plum jam—Mrs. Hadwen. Strawberry jam—1st prize to each, Mrs. Newhouse and Mrs. Mellin. Raspberry jam—1, Mrs. Mellin. Any other kind of jam—1, Miss Maude Wilson. Bottle cherries—1, Mrs. Bonsall. Bottle pears—1, Mrs. Whittome. Bottle plums—1, Mrs. Wellburn. Bottle any other fruit—1, Mrs. Prevost. Bottle raspberries—1, Mrs. Lomas.

BREAD.

Loaf of bread—1, Mrs. Drummond; 2, Mrs. Paterson; very highly commended, Mrs. E. E. Clark. Loaf of bread (child under 15)—1, Ruth Clark; 2, Miss McKim; highly commended, Miss Kier. Plain cake (child under 15)—1, Miss Ruth Clark; 2, Miss McKinnon.

POULTRY.

Turkeys—Wm. Forrest. Geese—1, A. McKinnon; 2, G. T. Corfield. Pekin ducks—1, Wm. Forrest. Light brahmas, G. T. Corfield. Buff cochins—1 and 2, R. H. Whidden. Black Lanshan—1 and 2, John E. Jones; highly commended, R. H. Whidden. Plymouth rock, barred—1 and 2, J. W. Flett. Plymouth rock, white—1, Mrs. Stewart; 2, J. S. Jones. Wyandotte, white—1, Mrs. Stewart; 2, J. S. Jones. Silver Wyandotte—1, G. H. Hadwen; 2, Mrs. Roberts. Golden, 1, G. H. Hadwen; 2, Mrs. Roberts. Black Minorca—1, Mrs. M. Wilson; 2, A. McKinnon. Black Spanish—1, A. S. Drummond; 2, A. McKinnon. Leghorns, white—1 and 2, T. S. Jones. Buff, T. S. Jones. Brown—1, Wm. Forrest; 2, G. T. Corfield. Black—1, Mr. Forrest; 2, G. T. Corfield. Non-game—Andrew Mellin. Display thoroughbred poultry—J. S. Jones. Pair pigeons—H. H. Bazett. Rabbits—W. A. Woods.

SPECIAL EXHIBITS.

Amateur photos—1, W. C. Schlichter. Best writing (girls or boys under 14—1, Fretwork UonligG CMFW KK Miss M. L. McPherson; 2, Elbert Evans. Fretwork—1, Miss Evans. Pencil drawing—1, James Forrest; 2, Fraser Forrest. Best writing (girls or boys under 11)—1, Henry Williams; 2, James McPherson.

HORSES.

Pony under 14.2—1, W. H. Elkington; 2, C. F. Rivers. Pony, ridden by boy—1, colt—1, G. T. Corfield; 2, W. Beaumont. One-year-old colt—1, Edgson; 2, G. T. Corfield. Hurdle jumper—1, P. Jaynes; 2, E. H. Hicks-Beach. Best buggy horse—1, Campbell; 2, C. Kingston. General purpose horse—1, Kingston; 2, W. Kingston. Single turnout—1, Campbell. Farmers' team—1, D. Evans; 2, G. T. Corfield.

SHEEP AND PIGS.

Pedigree ram—1, H. Bonsall. Southdown ram—1, E. Whilley; 2, M. Edgson. Shropshire ram—1 and 2, H. Bonsall. Oxford ram—1, H. Bonsall. Two fat wethers—1, M. Edgson. Three ewe lambs—1, H. Bonsall. Two ewes (grade large)—1, H. Bonsall. Two ewes (grade small)—1, D. Evans; 2, A. S. Drummond. Three lambs, grade—1, H. Bonsall; 2, M. Edgson. Two Southdown lambs from Vifa ram—1, D. Evans. Shropshire rams from Vifa ram—1, H. Bonsall; 2, A. S. Drummond. Southdown ewe lambs—1, David Evans; 2, Peter Flett. Two ewes, Shropshire—1, A. S. Drummond. Berkshire boar—1 and 2, Peter Flett. Tamworth boar—1 and 2, W. Ford. Pure bred sow—1, W. C. Duncan; 2, Peter Flett. Grade sow—1, W. C. Duncan; 2, A. R. Wilson.

CATTLE.

Shorthorn bull—1, D. Evans; 2, W. C. Brown. Jersey bull—1, G. T. Corfield; 2, W. P. Jaynes. Holstein bull—1, H. Bonsall; 2, G. T. Corfield. Red-polled bull—1 and 2, R. E. Barkley. Pure bred bull—W. H. Elkington. Shorthorn cow—1, David Evans; 2, W. C. Brown. Jersey cow—1, W. C. Jaynes; 2, G. T. Corfield. Pure bred cow (any other breed)—G. H. Hadwen. Red-polled cow—1 and 2, R. E. Barkley. Holstein cow—1, G. T. Corfield; 2, H. Bonsall; highly commended, H. Bonsall. Grade milch cow—1 and 2, A. R. Wilson. Milch cow (sweepstake)—1, G. T. Corfield; 2, H. Bonsall. Two-year-old heifer—1, W. P. Jaynes; 2, H. Bonsall. Yearling heifer—1, W. C. Duncan; 2, G. T. Corfield. Fat beef—1, W. C. Brown; 2, C. Kingston.

AVALANCHE BREAKERS.

In Switzerland the people have entered upon effective plans to defeat the avalanche in its devastating work. No more need the traveller be told, "Beware the awful avalanche," for these rolling, pitching, sliding bodies of snow that accumulate into masses of destruction are now broken up before they gain a dangerous amount of material or velocity sufficient to make them dangerous. Along the mountain sides, where avalanches form, earthworks in the form of a V are constructed, with their points upward, and when the moving masses of snow come in contact with them they are broken apart and so deflected as to be rendered harmless.

RECENT ADDITIONS TO TO PROVINCIAL LIBRARY

A Collection of Interesting Books Lately Secured—Travelling Library System Great Success.

E. O. S. Scholefield, librarian of the legislative library, has lately added to the collection of old volumes and manuscripts, under his charge, a number of most interesting books. One set consists of over one hundred volumes of the Annual Register published in London annually since the year 1758. The collection was picked up by Mr. Scholefield in a little town in the United States, and was obtained for the comparative trifle of $100.

A most interesting book which he secured a few months ago was one published in 1640, and entitled "Speeches and Passages of the Great and Happy Parliament." Some true Loyalist has amended the title in pen and ink to read the "Wicked, Rebellious, Bloody, Black and Unhappy Parliament." This volume contains the speeches of many of the worthies of that memorable house, including that of Earl Strafford, delivered to the lords in the tower when they came to escort him to his death. It also contains, in a separate chapter, a "collection of speeches made by Sir Edward Dering, knight and baronet, in matter of religion, some printed formerly and divers now added, all of them revised for the vindication of his name from wicked and wilful calumnies, and by the same Sir E. Dering new subject to public view and censure upon the urgent importunity of many, both gentlemen and clergy."

The travelling library system which was inaugurated several years ago by Hon. J. H. Turner, has proved a most beneficial thing, and when five sets now being dispatched are completed there will be forty of these libraries in circulation. The places which are now receiving them are Huntingdon, Coquitlam, Ferguson, Quesnelle and Falkland. The latter point is in the Kootenays.

Recently the librarian has been in receipt of mail regularly, the superscription of which is a commentary on the intelligence of the civil service of India. It is regularly addressed to "Librarian, Legislative Assembly, Victoria, B. C., Australia," although emanating from the office of the under secretary of state for India.

"THE TEMPEST" TO-NIGHT.

Delightful Shakespearean Comedy to Be Presented by Warde and James.

Wagenhals and Kemper's much lauded spectacular production of "The Tempest," in which Louis James and Frederick Warde will appear as joint stars, will be seen at the Victoria theatre tonight.

"The Tempest" is a play which appeals not only to lovers of Shakespeare, but to all classes of playgoers alike. As a literary achievement it is regarded as being so nearly faultless, as to make criticism an impertinence. The characters of this delicious comedy, more especially those of Caliban, Prospero, Ariel and Miranda, are probably the most unique and original conceptions that ever sprang from the wit of man.

Mr. James and Mr. Warde have both been seen in all the more familiar roles of Shakespeare, and that they are now to appear respectively as Caliban and Prospero, two characters which have rarely if ever been portrayed on the local stage, will insure them the hearty welcome. Caliban presents difficulties of portraiture few artists are as well equipped to cope with as is Mr. Louis James. He is part man, part demon and part brute; a strange, uncouth yet lifelike creature whom Prospero educates into a sort of poet, but without modifying his innate malignity. The music of Caliban's nature is to curse, and its laughter is to snarl. Prospero, which will be assumed by Mr. Warde, is probably the most congenial role which has fallen to that sterling actor in many years. He is the centre and main spring of the whole theme. Though armed with supernatural power so that he can command the spirits of the air and make the winds and waves obey him, Prospero's magical and mystical powers are tied to truth and light. His pride and love for his daughter Miranda, and his gentleness and magnanimity toward all the characters of the play both mortal and immortal, have a more humanizing influence on the mind of the auditor than the best sermon ever preached.

The scene of the shipwreck and the storm which occurs at the opening of the play, for which most everyone should be seated early in order to see, is being commented upon as one of the artistic sensations of the season. In the supporting company, which includes a ballet and chorus, are such artists as Norman Hackett, Wadsworth Harris, Thomas Coffin Cooke, Teresa Maxwell and Edith Fassett.

Owing to the length of the performance the curtain will rise at 8 o'clock, the scene of the great storm occurring just as the curtain goes up.

One mode of selling turquoises at the great Russian fair held at Nijm Novgorod is curious. A person, on payment of a fixed sum, is allowed to plunge his hand into a bag full of them, and to become the possessor of the handful.

UNFAMILIAR WITH ACT.

Salt Spring Liquor Case Adjourned Until Next Saturday by Police Magistrate Hall.

On Saturday afternoon in the provincial police court the charge against A. R. Bittancourt, of Salt Spring island, of having trafficked in liquor was heard. The liquor in question consisted of nine bottles of ale, which Henry Stevens had obtained from the defendant. Provincial Constable Ego had found the ale in Stevens's buggy after the latter had returned from Bittancourt's store. Stevens contended that the ale which he got was the last of a barrel of five dozen bottles which he got Bittancourt to order for him from Fairall. He got a barrel in this way before. He did not consider that he was purchasing the ale from Bittancourt, but Bittancourt simply ordered it for him.

Being cross-examined by Geo. Powell he said he ordered it about three weeks before he got it.

Joseph Nightingale, who was with Stevens when he got the ale, also gave evidence.

Geo. Powell, who acted for the defence, did not call any witnesses, and asked that the case be dismissed inasmuch as it had not been proved that the defendant was not the holder of a license.

Supt. Hussey, however, was prepared for this, and pointed out that section 81 of the present act put the onus of proof in such a case upon the defence. Mr. Powell admitted the ground well taken, but said it was an unusual provision. It was suggested that as the act specified an exemption in the case of chemists or druggists that, therefore, it should have been proved that defendant did not come under that exemption.

Police Magistrate Hall pointed out that the amount of liquor concerned in the case was greater than that which the act allowed a chemist to dispose of. He admitted that as this was the first case to come before him under this act that he was not familiar with its provisions, and would not give judgment until he had an opportunity to look into it. The case was allowed to stand over until next Saturday.

The case has had two adjournments, when taken before justices of the peace, on Salt Spring island, and was on the last occasion adjourned to Victoria for hearing.

STRANGE DOUBLE LIFE

Disclosed By Death Which Came Suddenly on a Man Known By Two Names.

A sensation has been caused throughout the West of England by the discovery by the accident of death that Mr. Edmund Hall, an accountant and beekeeper, who had resided for 19 years at Oborne, a little village a mile from Sherborne, Dorset, was in reality Colonel Edmund Carter Plant, C. B., colonel commanding the 2nd Gloucester volunteers, R. E., master at Clifton College, with a residence and, until 1900, a wife in Bristol.

The story of the discovery is worth telling.

Mr. Edmund Hall had lived at Oborne without anyone suspecting that the "accountant" had another side to his life. He went away from home on business, but no one was surprised at that. When he was at home he was noted for his interest in bee-keeping.

Curiously enough, that is not one of the "recreations" which "Who's Who" gives as preferred by Col. Edmund Plant. Mr. Hall, who was about 60, went over one afternoon to the farm of Mr. Ryall, of North Wootton, in order to "drive" some bees. After this operation he was sitting at tea with Mr. Ryall and his own little son, who had accompanied him. Suddenly he got up from the tea-table, and remarking, "I'm going to faint," fell forward and immediately expired.

An inquest was held next day, and the jury returned a verdict of "Death from natural causes," viz., heart disease.

Next mornin the Bristol paper appeared with long obituary notices of Colonel Edmund Plant, C. B., who was decorated in 1897 for his services to the volunteer movement. This gentleman was a Hampshire man who settled in Bristol in 1861, first as a science master at the old Trade and Mining school in Nelson street, and subsequently at Clifton College. It was in 1874 that he took over command of the Bristol Engineers as major, and devoted himself to raising it to its present high state of efficiency. At his suggestion a cadet corps was started at Clifton College, and attached to the Engineer battalion. The regiment when he took command had dwindled to four companies, and rose by his efforts to eight companies, besides the Clifton Cadets. His authority as a volunteer officer was recognized not only by the C. B., but by his being selected to command the Engineer volunteer brigades at the Jubilee review in 1887. He was married in 1865 to Miss Frances Colchester, of Ashleworth, Gloucester, a lady who died in January, 1900.

The manner in which Col. Plant's death was announced, was vague. It was stated in a Bristol newspaper that he died quite suddenly in Dorsetshire, "where he was spending his summer holiday."

None of the newspapers mentioned the village, but all stated that he died suddenly while at tea. This resemblance to the death of Mr. Edmund Hall was at first noticed as curious in Sherborne, and there was still more interest aroused when the news came that Mr. Edmund Hall, instead of being buried with his two sons in Oborne churchyard, was to be buried at Bristol.

Curiously enough, it was announced in the Bristol papers that Col. Plant would be buried with military honors on the same day at Bristol.

The upshot of the whole thing was the discovery that "Edmund Hall" and Col. Plant were the same person. In the anxiety to maintain the secret of Col. Plant's double life, the name of "Edmund Hall" was engraved on the coffin plate, which was removed to Bristol by train.

It was in this single coffin that in Arne's Vale cemetery, Bristol, two identities were buried. Col. Plant's coffin was covered with a Union Jack, and the inscription on the plate was: "Edmund Carter Plant, C. B., Colonel Bristol Engineers. Died 1st September, 1902. Aged 60 years."

The helmet and sword of the deceased were placed on the coffin, as well as his C. B. and V. D. badges, and there were numerous beautiful wreaths and flowers. The gun carriage was drawn by eight black horses, and was followed by the charger usually ridden by the deceased.

There were no mourning coaches. The chief mourner was the brother of the deceased, Col. A. U. Plant, who wore his uniform, and followed on foot. The Lord Mayor of Bristol sent his carriage, and there were dense crowds of onlookers.

The reasons for this strange double life so long maintained have not been disclosed, but it is stated that the dead man's surviving children at Oborne were entirely unaware of his real identity until after his death.

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FOR THE BUSY ALDERMEN.

From the tenor of the discussions in the City Council, and the notices of motion precedent to discussions, citizens of Victoria are reminded that in civic works the corporation is yet far from perfect. Taxes are rearing themselves on high, too, and so much yet remains to be done. Yet we suppose it will be admitted that in civic, as in all other forms of life, there can be no standing still. We must go ahead. Each year brings us face to face with new demands and makes more urgent the necessity for compliance with the old. It is literally true, although possibly not in the sense understood by the colored coiner of the phrase, that the "world do move." It seems also true that the part of the world which desires all the conveniences incident to urban life should move itself within city boundaries. It should not expect to be supplied with all the appliances considered necessary to comfort in this luxurious age without undertaking to share in the responsibilities of the city dweller.

We observe that the vexed, not to say odorous, subject of sewers is again threatening to poke its sensitive nose into the business of the Council and to divide the people. It is perhaps well that this is so, because there can be no peace, neither can Victoria be the healthy place nature intended her to be, until our sewerage system is completed. The city as a whole bore the cost of the construction of the main sewers. For years a large part of the ratepayers have been paying interest on the money borrowed for this purpose, and have derived no benefit whatever from the work. If the public could have foreseen the delay that has occurred, there might have been some trouble in persuading them to sanction the work in its original form. However, the point now is to secure the completion of the system as speedily as possible. It is estimated that at the present rate, with the collections made on account of connections already completed, it will take longer than those who still live under primitive village conditions can contemplate with equanimity to finish the work. It is obviously unfair that so large a number of ratepayers should be asked to continue to contribute a share of the interest on money spent upon a work from which they derive no benefit whatever. The only way to remove this injustice is to carry the undertaking to a conclusion. There are obstacles to be overcome, however. Taxes are already high, and even if they were low there is always opposition to a proposed increase. The discussion on Ald. Barnard's resolution should reveal the state of mind of the council on the subject. If any Alderman has a fairer proposal to make or can prove that the amount proposed to be levied is unnecessarily high, he ought to state his case. It is perhaps unfortunate that the matter has been postponed until so late in the year, when the average Aldermanic mind is somewhat concerned about the future. But the present council is probably more independent of sectional opinion and more desirous of doing its full duty than the ordinary municipal body. It knows the question is a "burning" one that it will not down and that early in the year it will prove a fruitful topic of discussion upon the platform. Why not adopt some course or suggest a measure which will dispose of it effectually?

Then there is the Carnegie library site question still upon the stand. We admit that the temptation to place the proposed new building upon the site owned by the city on the water front must be considerable. It would be in goodly company there, flanked by the post office, confronted by the lordly Parliament buildings, and with possibilities in the way of architecture or ornamentation in the hitherto odorous mud flats of which we have no conception. But it is the duty of the council to place the convenience of the citizens whom it represents above every other consideration. That site on the water front would not be central. It would be a very long way from the north and west ends especially. It is late in the season. Why not let the matter rest and fall into the hands of the new council? Such a course would give ample opportunity for discussion, and possibly lead to a further expression of opinion on the part of the people, who are more concerned in the site of a library than in the position of any other public building.

A CONFLICT OF OPINION.

The Colonist is anxious to know when the great National Policy was wiped out of existence. According to Sir Charles Tupper that historic event occurred in 1897. It was in that year, we believe, the leader of the Conservative party heard the "wail, the miserable wail" of ruined manufacturers arising from all parts of the land. The financial statement of Mr. Fielding filled the ranks of Toryism with alarm. There must surely have been tariff reductions or there would not have been such a panic. Specific duties on goods were to a large extent removed; raw materials necessary to the manufacturers in their business and to the farmers in their occupation were removed, and the British preference was adopted. There have been no fiscal changes of importance since then and the British preference has been increased from twelve and a half to thirty-three and a third per cent. So that if the N. P. was sent about its business then it cannot have been called into life by anything that has been done since. If a period of business stagnation had ensued instead of one of unexampled prosperity there would have been but one opinion among Conservatives as to the fate of the N. P. Its death would have been admitted and its burial would have been responsible for the dulness of trade. As the advancement of the Dominion in all lines of business was without parallel, considerable confusion ensued in Conservative circles as to the fate of the N. P. As that precious political panacea had been guaranteed to produce prosperity under any or all conditions, it would never have done to admit that immediately upon its decease the blight which had rested upon the country during its ill-starred life had suddenly departed. The consequence is that there has been an unfortunate division of opinion in the minds of Conservatives as to whether the N. P. hath departed or yet liveth to benefit all lines of industry to which its provisions apply.

The Hon. George E. Foster in his younger days was a good Liberal and a convincing exponent of Liberal principles. But he has all his life been subject to "moments of weakness." One of those periods of aberration overtook him when he was offered the post of Finance Minister in a Tory cabinet. But the acumen which prompted Mr. Foster to espouse the cause of common sense until the tempter accomplished his downfall warned him that the Dominion was more than likely to forge ahead when the weight which had been put about its neck was removed. So Mr. Foster, like a wise man, said nothing and ventured upon no predictions when the tariff changes were made. When it became evident that a great industrial revival was in progress, then the ex-Finance Minister got up in his place in the House and advanced the extraordinary proposition that his leader had been mistaken, that his ears had deceived him about that miserable wail, that the N. P. was still in force and was working the wonders which were so evident in all parts of Canada, that the tariff changes had been so unimportant as to be scarcely noticeable, etc. And there has been confusion in Conservative ranks ever since. A section of the party follows Sir Charles and the remainder adheres to the view of the Hon. George E. Foster. The electors in the constituencies of the two leaders expressed their opinions by defeating both. They are now out of the House and have little to say for themselves.

The present leaders of the party do not seem to know exactly what attitude to assume in regard to the tariff. They were strong protectionists when in the East. Mr. Borden's western tour has converted him into a moderate protectionist, according to his own statements. Mr. Clarke, of Toronto, on the other hand, is a high tariff man out and out. The reformed N. P. will not suit him at all. There are evidently elements in the outfit specially prepared to fit into any state of public opinion. But none of them has attempted to explain why if the National Policy is still in force and has created the prosperity of the present time, it should be changed. It would surely be a risky experiment. And if there has been a change, surely the change must have been for the better, because none of the leaders has attempted to prove that the country is not in a prosperous condition.

The people of the East are sorely troubled about the matter of coal supply. Montreal dealers have communicated with the Welsh mines with a view to securing the prime necessary to Eastern comfort from there, but it was no use. New York and other large centres had the call, and the supply was not equal to the demand. Great distress has already resulted to the dependents of the miners of Pennsylvania from the strike. Outrages have been perpetrated and murder has been committed. To these will shortly be added sufferings on account of lack of fuel in a cold climate, which will extend over a large section where competition for the necessaries of life is very keen. And all the resources of our modern civilization are powerless to put an end to such a state of affairs by stepping in and telling both operators and operatives of mines that it is time their war was brought to an end. We believe the strong barrier that now exists to a settlement is "recognition of the union." The coal magnates insist upon their right to manage their business without dictation from any source as to terms and conditions. The claim is merely a sentimental one. The influence of the union is all-pervading in these days of combines. Why should the magnates attempt to deny others privileges they are themselves so ready to profit by? Call any law designed to prevent such insane warfare what you will, compulsory arbitration or state interference, it could not but be a vast improvement upon the present mode of settling disputes which inflict great hardship not only upon those concerned but upon a large number directly and indirectly interested.

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As has been frequently pointed out, in the United States justice is frequently in a very erratic mood. We believe Canadian courts sometimes follow precedents laid down "on the other side." Our attention was lately drawn to a judgment delivered by a judge in erudite Boston which may be of peculiar interest to the people, very scarce in Victoria, who sometimes look too long "upon the wine when it is red." One James McDonald, while in a state of alcoholic exhilaration, gave vent to his emotions by breaking a large pane of glass in the window of a Chelsea saloon. He was arrested, brought before Special Justice Cutler, and charged with malicious mischief—of which it appeared to be a clear case. It wasn't, for the justice, possibly to justify the "special" part of his title, discharged Mr. McDonald without so much as a reprimand. In explanation of this course, the justice first read what the court dictionary had to say as to the meaning of the word "malicious," and then he said that while a drunken man is for some crimes as responsible as a sober man, there are certain specific charges that may not be proved against him. If, he added, a drunken man breaks a pane of glass when he is in such a condition that he does not know what he is doing, and can therefore harbor no malice, he then becomes civilly responsible for the damage, but cannot be punished criminally for the offence. As the New York Times said when another Boston justice declared that intention to get drunk must be proved before a man can be punished for drunkenness, this decision opens wide vistas.

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In the report presented to the Methodist general conference by Rev. George H. Cornish, D.D., general statistician, it was shown that there had been a total increase of membership in four years of 11,358. The number of churches built during the quadrennium was 217; their value was $705,024; new parsonages, 112; their value was $172,069; value of college and school property, $2,168,164; value of book and publishing houses, $443,361; total value of all church property, $16,802,438, showing an increase of $1,372,484.

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The astronomer who on September 23rd, 1846, discovered the planet Neptune is still living. On June 9th he celebrated his 90th birthday. Leverrier had theoretically demonstrated that there must be an unknown planet where Neptune was found, but as he had no telescope at his disposal he wrote to Galle and put him on the track. Lalande had seen Neptune fifty-four years earlier, but without suspecting that it was a planet.

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Toronto Star: The Brooklyn Eagle has a cartoon showing "Canada" as a cow that has got through the boundary fence into Uncle Sam's field marked "Alaska," and Farmer Sam is saying to Farmer John Bull to please remove his cow. In the cartoon John Bull isn't saying a word, which doesn't seem natural. What he would say if the cartoonist had given him half a chance would be: "It isn't the cow that needs to be moved, but the fence."

SANITATION AND JUSTICE.

To the Editor:—Those who have the sanitary condition of our city at heart and appreciate the vital importance of the matter will be glad to see that there is at least one alderman who does not merely talk and procrastinate, but is "up and doing" with a business like motion which sets out the whole question very clearly and plainly. I refer to Ald. Barnard, who is entitled to the thanks of the community for the active interest he is taking in trying to remove a reproach from our city—its preposterously inadequate sewer system, or lack of system. Mr. Barnard will not be forgotten when the time comes to fill the places at next year's council board.

May I add that I was glad to see your article regarding the propriety of recognising substantially the good work of the city engineer. The suggestion comes very appropriately in view of the responsible duties he will be called upon to perform soon in regard to the water and sewer systems, which are both so inadequate.

SANITAS.

MORE SEALS FOR THE PARK.

To the Editor:—While we have nothing to say against the desire of gentlemen to make presents of animals and birds to the Beacon Hill Park menagerie, we should regret that other seals should be accepted by the park committee.

Little seals and little bears are very pretty playthings when young, but all young things have a tendency to grow up.

In the first place, the seal has to be weaned from salt water to fresh, which is a trying ordeal for its strength. The little pond boarded off, in which the water was scarcely a foot deep, gave the last seal little protection from its persecutors, and had it lived, which it probably never would have done, it would soon have required other quarters.

The park keeper, I am sure, has his time pretty well taken up, and the park policeman will soon be off duty for the winter months, so the hoodlum may work his own sweet will unmolested.

It would give great pleasure to all humane persons to know that the animals and birds in the park were done away with altogether.

We have before drawn attention to this, and hardly wished to refer to the matter again.

The three little bears are an ill-favored memory. The eagles, which love light and sun, have the latter completely hidden from them. The owls, which dislike the light, have no protection from it. The lonely vulture wants a mate. A 'coon was provided as a companion for the other, but it cannot be seen now.

If animals need to be kept in confinement the conditions ought to be made as natural as possible, and until the city is in a position to provide the animals and birds with something approaching their natural habitat, and then employ some one who understands their nature to look after them, it is hoped no offer of animals will be considered.

F. B. KITTO,
Hon. Secretary of S. P. C. A.

LIBERALS AND THE TARIFF.

To the Editor:—I notice a letter in the Colonist written by D. W. H., who professes to discuss the outside cover of a booklet, which was written by me in 1894, rather than take up the subjects therein contained. This may be pleasing to him, but it is out of place when discussing public questions for a man over three score years to become funny and flippant. I would also remind him that to become personal shows, not only weakness of argument, but bad taste to men who have been any time in public life. There are few men who have taken a part in politics, in British Columbia at least, who can afford to enter into personalities. I have endeavored to shun all such in this discussion.

In the booklet to which he refers he says it bears on it the remarkable words, "Evil effects of protection in Canada," "Tariff for revenue only." This of course is quite enough to raise the ire of D. W. H. It is too much for him. But before he reaches another sentence he says it is written in the interest of free trade. You see it is impossible to pin D. W. H. down to facts. He will wander away, and well may he be christened "Wandering David."

It horrifies him to think the revenue has reached annually $10,784,818 more than when the Tories were in power. If such be the case, why is it that the average Tory is crying out for a higher tariff? If the above figures be appalling to D. W. H., why does he want to increase them by putting on a higher tariff? It is hard to be accounted for, the inconsistency of men holding such unreasonable views. But the sensible people of Canada are not for putting on a higher tariff. All classes who have given the subject any study know well the trend of feeling that exists. The Dominion Trades Council, which met in Berlin, Ont., and was presided over so ably by Ralph Smith, M. P., in a resolution passed at its meeting, held about two weeks ago, gave no uncertain sound, a portion of which reads as follows:

"That whereas the Manufacturers' Association has declared its intention to seek an increase in the tariff, and whereas the injury and oppression of industry comes not from the various industries offering to exchange riches for riches, but from the extortions to which labor is subjected by the holders of the land, the forests, the mines and other natural opportunities; therefore this congress would condemn any increase in the tariff, and would urge that taxes be removed as soon as possible to those values which now enable non-production to impoverish industry."

The Tory party may call loudly for a higher tariff, but, as I said before, tariff for revenue is all that is necessary, and whenever the surplus reaches a certain limit the tariff be reduced accordingly. This is what we started out for and we hope to carry it out. The mass of the people are with the Liberal party, and D. W. H. ought to recognize the trend of public opinion.

He also refers to the duty on sugar and asks the question how much has the duty on this article been reduced since the Liberals came into power? This shows how badly off D. W. H. is for facts concerning the tariff. I will at once inform him. The first session after coming into power, the reduction in the tariff on refined sugar alone was equal to $400,000 in the pockets of the consumer. If you will be so good as to publish the concluding remarks of Mr. Fielding, the minister of finance, so that Mr. Higgins and others who are not well informed on the changes which took place in the tariff in 1897 may read and inwardly digest.

G. L. MILNE.

In conclusion, permit me to sum up the chief points of the policy which I submit to this House. The Liberal party, in its platform at the Ottawa convention, declared itself to be in favor of a reduction of the tariff. That pledge we have fulfilled to-day by substantial reductions in our general tariff, and still further by the large reductions made in our reciprocal tariff. The Ottawa platform pledged the Liberal party to endeavor to bring about the desired reform with the least possible disturbance of business, and with no injustice to any class. That pledge we have fulfilled to-night by placing on the table of the House a tariff which in its every line shows that the government have approached the subject with the utmost consideration, and with a desire to disturb in the least possible degree the various business interests of the Dominion. The Ottawa platform pledged us to have particular regard for a reduction of duties on British goods, and my hon. friend the minister of marine and fisheries (Mr. Davies) moved in this House a resolution affirming that policy. We have fulfilled that pledge to-night in the most simple manner.

We present to this House a tariff which has the advantage of being simpler than the one that now exists, and I feel assured that it will to a considerable extent reduce that friction which has so long existed between the merchants of the country and the custom houses. We submit a tariff which largely abandons the specific duties that have been so unjust to the poorer classes. We submit a tariff in which the large free list is practically not disturbed, but has large additions made to it. We give to the country the great boon of free corn, which will have an important effect on the development of our farming interests, and particularly the dairying interest, to which we must look in a very large degree for the prosperity of our farmers and the increase of our exports. We give to the country a reduction of the duty on coal oil, and the removal of burdensome restrictions respecting the sale of coal oil. We give to the farmer his fence wire at a low rate of duty for the present year, and place it on the free list from the 1st of January next. We give him his binder twine on the same terms—a lower rate of duty for the present, and free binder twine from the 1st day of January next. We give the medical and dental professions a boon which the younger and less wealthy members of the profession will appreciate, when we put all surgical and dental instruments on the free list. We recognize the great mining industry of the country by placing on the free list all machinery exclusively used in mining enterprises. We do not confine it to mining machinery made in Canada, but we say it is more important to develop the mining interests of Canada than even to make a few machines in Canada, and so we put mining machinery exclusively used for the purposes of mining enterprises on the free list. We give the people the benefit of reduction on breadstuffs, flour, wheat and cornmeal. We give the manufacturers the benefit of cheaper iron, and much complaint has been made by them in the past of the burdens imposed upon them by the iron duty. We revise the duties on rice in such a manner that they will not add a cent to the cost to the consumer, yet they will add materially to the public revenue. We give the people a reduction almost all along the line. We provide the necessary revenue to meet the great needs of the country by increased taxes on articles of luxury, such as spirits, tobacco and cigars, and without any increased taxation on the necessaries of life. If hon. gentlemen opposite have ever had the free breakfast table they talk about, we make it freer to-day by reducing the duty on the sugar that goes on the breakfast table from $1.14 per 100 pounds to $1, which is a material reduction.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 29.—5 a. m.—A vast area of algu barometric pressure central in Oregon and Idaho stretches from the Pacific to the eastern borders of Manitoba, but a low area from the ocean is moving in over the northern portion of this province. Rain is falling at Kamloops and snow at Barkerville, and the weather is chiefly cloudy along the district of the Straits, but clear from thence southward to California. Temperatures are normal, with occasional light frosts. East of the Rockies the weather is mostly fair and cool.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Tuesday.

Victoria and vicinity—Light or moderate winds, chiefly cloudy and unsettled, with showers.

Lower Mainland—Light or moderate winds, unsettled, with rain.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles S. W.; weather, fair.

New Westminster—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, 44; minimum, 44; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, 10 miles E.; rain, .02; weather, rain.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, 32; minimum, 30; wind, calm; snow, trace; weather, snow.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, 66; minimum, 62; wind, 6 miles S.; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 36; minimum, 34; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, trace; weather, fair.

City News in Brief.

—Priestly's Cravenette Waterproofs, 3 cases just opened; all marked to Sale Prices for cash. B. Williams & Co. *

—Buy a tag for Sidney Thursday, October 2nd. Trains leave Market station 8:15; returning, leave Sidney 11:45. *

—Tuesday evening, September 30th, begins the Jewish New Year and will be observed by the Hebrews of this city in the prescribed manner. During the morning services for the first two days of the New Year the blowing of the traditional rain horn is observed.

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—The ship Albania arrived from Vancouver this morning to secure a number of men to complete her crew. This will probably be done to-day, and in this event the ship will sail for London this evening. She has a cargo of 1,000,000 feet of lumber, which was loaded at one of the Mainland mills.

—The regular monthly meeting of the executive and friends of the Woman's Auxiliary Society, Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital, is called for to-morrow (Tuesday), at 2:30 p.m. at the city hall. This being the first meeting of the new working year, a large attendance is earnestly requested.

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—What promises to be a very enjoyable entertainment will take place in the Wallace hall on Friday evening, October 3rd. It will consist of stereopticon views and moving pictures of Scottish scenery. All those who hail from the Land of the Heather should be present. *

—Steamer Spokane will sail for Alaska to-morrow morning, one day late, her tardiness being due, it is presumed, to the strike of 'longshoremen at Seattle, which has been detaining all vessels of the Pacific Coast fleet at that port for several weeks.

—The special committee entrusted with the project of rearranging the wards of the city have decided that it would be unwise to proceed with anything in the matter this year. As an amendment to the charter would be involved in any change it was thought wise to leave it over until next year.

—To-morrow evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, at the Imperial hotel, a smoking concert will be held under the auspices of "Ye Olde London Wanderers." Tickets may be procured at Salmon's cigar store. A good programme has been prepared and an enjoyable evening is anticipated. A cordial invitation is extended to all Londoners and friends.

—The tenth anniversary of the Ladies of Maccabees will be celebrated next Wednesday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Spofford, North Pembroke street. The Supreme Hive has prepared an excellent programme for the occasion and an invitation is extended not only to members but to all who are interested in the work of the order.

—The programme for the organ recital to be given in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening next has been prepared. There will be no charge for admission. The programme will be as follows: Organ, Concert Overture, Hollins; Marche Funebre, Op. 26 Beethoven; Andantino (by request), Lemare; song, "Amid the Shadows," Mrs. Burnett; St. Cecilia's Offertoire, Batiste—(a) Berceuse—Godard; (b) Serenade Schubert—Lemare; song, "Abide With Me," Liddle, Herbert Taylor; violin, Reverie Wickens, Jesse Longfield; Grand Choeur, Guilmant (by request); duet, "I Waited for the Lord," Mendelssohn, Mrs. G. J. Burnett and Miss Laura Loewen; New World Symphony (Largo) Dvorak; song, "Sun of My Soul," Burnett, Miss Laura Loewen; Gavotte, Handel; "Abendstein," Tannhauser, Wagner—Liszt; March Festal, Wely.

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JOHN FRIDAY KILLED AT SHAWNIGAN LAKE

Unfortunate Logger Crushed by Falling of Log—Funeral Takes Place To-Morrow.

John Friday, a resident of this city, was killed on Saturday morning at Shawnigan Lake. He was in the employ of the Shawnigan Lake Company at their camp situated on the West Arm, and was completing the work of preparing a monster tree for the mills when the accident which deprive him of his life occurred.

The men were at work about half a mile from the camp, and Friday was engaged in sawing it in two pieces. Before expected the log broke, and the unfortunate man was unable to get clear before he was crushed. Death resulted almost instantly, the injuries inflicted being necessarily fatal.

An inquest was held at Shawnigan on Saturday before Coroner Norcross, and after hearing the statements of the eye-witnesses of the tragedy, a verdict of accidental death was returned.

Deceased was a native of San Juan Island and 30 years of age. He leaves to mourn his loss a mother and two sisters, Mrs. Gunion and Mrs. E. Ross, both of this city. The funeral is arranged to take place to-morrow (Tuesday) morning from the family residence, Victoria West, at 8.15, and at 9 o'clock from the Roman Catholic cathedral.

RAILROAD TO DAWSON.

A Line Will Be Constructed By This Time Next Year.

"Trains will be running along the waterfront of Dawson by this time next year," says the Yukon Sun. "The Klondike Mines railway is coming to Dawson. Not only will the road be built into Dawson next year, but the merry toot of the locomotive whistle will yet be heard in the Klondike this year.

"It has been the desire of the people of Dawson to have the road come into the city, and it will come. From a point near Klondike City a 'Y' will permit the track to branch off. It will cross the Klondike at the bar, thence along the waterfront to the waterfront at Boyle's wharf, where it will swing into the street and follow the waterside of the First avenue.

"Following the edge of the street it will terminate where the Northern Commercial Company's warehouses are at present on First avenue and George street.

"This is no hasty conclusion, but has been under consideration for a long time. It has always been the desire of the company to have the line built into Dawson. The line of course will be constructed from Klondike City as well, according to the franchise given the company. Mr. Hawkins says that an engine and a construction train will be delivered here in a few weeks, and that some work will be done this fall on the road. It will also be ready to resume work in the spring. Not only will the train and engine be delivered here this year, but a considerable amount of material will arrive. Already there has been piled high in the yards of the Klondike mill about 40,000 ties with which to commence the work of the road."

SUING FOR SALVAGE.

Owners of Santa Clara Will Bring Action Against Former Owners of Mystery.

A case involving in litigation the owners of the barque Santa Clara and the former owners of the tug Mystery will shortly come up in the Supreme court of this province.

The case arises over the trouble of the former craft about a year ago when after being driven by a gale across the Straits she dropped anchor within comparatively few yards of the rocks off Trial Island. She remained there for a short time until the tug Mystery arrived to give assistance. Then both anchors were weighed, or an attempt was made to lift them, and in the act of shifting position the ship drifted ashore. Considerable expense was incurred in floating her again, and for this the owners of the Santa Clara, who are the Alaska Packers' Association, purpose holding the tugboat company responsible, contending it was because of the Mystery's mismanagement that the ship got ashore.

—The local office of the C. P. N. Company has been advised that the Lake Erie was due at Liverpool at 11 a.m. yesterday and that the Corinthian and Etrurian are due at Montreal from Liverpool to-day.

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LEGAL NEWS.

Long Vacation Ends To-Morrow—The Trial of the Alleged Shoplifters.

The long vacation, which commenced on August 1st, will come to an end to-morrow, and the courts will renew operations on the day following. October will be a particularly busy month in legal circles, owing to the criminal assizes and the civil sittings of the Supreme court. On Wednesday the assizes open at Nelson. Vernon and Victoria, and will be presided over by the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Drake, and Mr. Justice Martin, respectively.

The circuits as at present arranged will be as follows, in addition to the above points: The Chief Justice will preside at Rossland on October 14th, and at New Westminster on the 28th, Mr. Justice Drake will go to Kamloops on the 8th, and to Revelstoke and Golden on the 22nd and 27th, if, in the meantime, any cases are set down for trial at these two latter points, and Mr. Justice Martin will take the assizes at Nanaimo on the 21st and Greenwood on the 27th. No criminal cases are set for these two places as yet.

The four alleged shoplifters will come up for trial at the Law courts to-morrow at 11 a.m., on charges of stealing from Spencer's Arcade, and will probably also be tried on the Westside charges. They have elected for speedy trial before a judge without a jury, and will be defended by Geo. E. Powell, the Deputy-Attorney-General appearing against them. Mr. Justice Martin will be the presiding judge.

At the assizes which open on Wednesday, the cases of Rex vs. Johnny, of assault, Rex vs. Hayes, of obtaining money under false pretences, and Rex vs. Nangle, of assault, will be submitted to the grand jury.

On Tuesday, October 7th, the sittings of the Supreme court for trial of civil cases will commence at Victoria. The next County court sittings are fixed for Thursday, October 9th.

MOTIONS FOR TO-NIGHT.

Ald. Worthington's By-law in Second Reading—Other Resolutions to Come Up.

The city council will to-night take up the second reading of Ald. Worthington's by-law amending the Permanent Sidewalks By-law so as to include the whole city in its scope. The by-law was introduced at the meeting last Wednesday night, and read a first time. It virtually numbers the days of the ramshackle wooden affairs which have so long spoiled the appearance of some of the city's principal thoroughfares. Just now they look particularly dilapidated. Battalions of nails protrude aggressively in certain sections, and many a staunch sole has been ruined and many a patent leather tip destroyed as their owners stumbled against them, pouring maledictions on the heads of those responsible for such nuisances. Under the amendment it is only a question of time when these temper disturbers will be removed, which will undoubtedly usher in an era of comfort in walking. Certainly the infractions of the third commandment will be noticeably less.

The by-law provides that the property owners contribute one-third the cost of the permanent sidewalks, the city to pay the remainder.

Ald. Vincent's motion providing that the city be lighted nightly from October until April will also be taken up to-night, as well as the resolution of Ald. Barnard's, providing for the doubling of the sewer rentals to cover interest and sinking fund on money borrowed to extend the system.

—Steamer Yosemite left Vancouver at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon, after connecting with the train from the East.

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—Firemen's Ball, in honor of Northwest Fire Chiefs, City Market, Oct. 9. *

—Tug Lorne will leave the Esquimalt ways on Wednesday or Thursday. Her place will be taken on the ways by the ship Kinross.

—This evening a general meeting of the Fernwood Athletic Association will be held at their rooms, Spring Ridge, for the purpose of making arrangements for the winter season.

—A line of Elegant Dinner Sets are being shown in the Government street windows of Weller Bros. Whatever you may require in Crockery, China or Glassware, you can secure at reasonable prices in their store. *

—Argument is being heard in the Curran-Webster case to-day. In order to more intelligently understand the situation the court adjourned this morning and visited the premises. Mr. Moresby's argument for the defence is being continued this afternoon.

—The following were judges at the Saanichton fair: Horses, Messrs. Bury and Anton Henderson; cattle, Watson Clarke; sheep and pigs, John Mitchell; ladies' work, Mrs. Bickford and Mrs. Alex. Wilson; butter, Mr. and Mrs. M. Young; grain, fruits, etc., Messrs. M. Baker, Harrison and McFarlane; poultry, Mr. Anderson. During the afternoon a number of bicycle and horse races were held, as well as wood chopping and sawing contests, all of which were keenly contested.

—Advices to the local office of the C. P. R. Company report that the steamship Bavarian, which had been impressed for transport service, is to be returned to the Royal Mail Steamship Company. The big ship had only been running a short time when taken over by the Imperial authorities. She will now take the place of the Numidian, sailing from Liverpool October 9th and from Montreal October 25th. The company, the advices state, is now rearranging its schedule for the operations of its ships from St. John's and Halifax.

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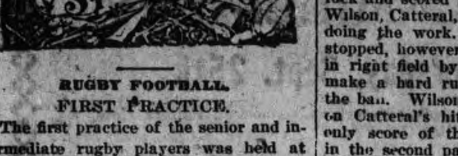

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

FIRST PRACTICE.

The first practice of the senior and intermediate rugby players was held at the Caledonia grounds on Saturday. There was a good turn out.

CRICKET.

SECOND ELEVEN MATCH.

There was no first eleven game at the canteen grounds on Saturday, but the second eleven played a team captained by A. C. Andeson, at Beacon Hill. The latter team, won by 16 runs, the scores being: Anderson's eleven, 129 runs; Howe's eleven, 113. There was some good playing on both teams.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

GAME AT CANTEEN GROUNDS.

A grand game was witnessed at the naval canteen grounds on Saturday afternoon when the football season opened in earnest. The teams were H. M. S. Virago and the Admiral's staff (H. M. S. Grafton). The first half was very exciting, the ball only staying at either end for a short period. When half time arrived the Virago's were leading 2-1, but in the second half the Grafton's men played with much more dash and finally came out victors 4 to 3 after a hard struggle. Rawson, R. M. A., of the Grafton, played a fine game. The Admiral's staff, with a little more practice, will make a strong combination and will be on the look out for some of the local clubs.

BASEBALL.

ANOTHER GAME.

The Young Boys defeated the Senior Independents by a score of 17 to 12 in a match played at Beacon Hill on Saturday afternoon.

AT OAK BAY.

The junior Independents beat the Oak Bays last Saturday by a score of 17 to 4 at Oak Bay.

SHAMROCKS DEFEATED.

At Beacon Hill on Saturday afternoon the Shamrocks met defeat at the hands of the Silver Stars, the score being 10 to 9.

ANOTHER STEP BEHIND.

On Saturday the Seattle baseball nine was defeated by Helena, putting them another step behind Butte in the struggle for the pennant of the Pacific coast. The score was 4 to 1.

JUNIOR MATCH.

On Saturday afternoon the South Park and North Ward junior teams played one of the Colonist cup series of matches, resulting in victory for the latter, the score being 22 to 6 and an inning to spare.

Fuggle, Hall, McGarry and Smith, for the North Wards, all played well, while Lang, of South Park, made a sensational catch, holding a hot liner off Fuggle's bat.

The score follows:

North Ward.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Tl.
E. Taylor, s. s.	0	1	0	1	0	.	2
W. Craig, 2b.	1	0	1	1	.	0	3
C. Hall, 1b.	1	1	1	1	.	0	4
B. Fuggle, 3b.	1	0	0	0	.	.	1
J. Dacres, l. f.	0	1	.	2	.	0	3
P. Smith, c.	1	1	.	2	.	.	4
A. Russell, c. f.	1	0	.	0-0	.	.	1
R. Hall, r. f.	0	.	0	1	0	.	1
D. McGarry, p.	.	1	1	1	0	.	3
	5	5	3	9	0	0	22

South Park.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Tl.
C. Carke, c.	1	.	0	.	1	.	1	3
Edmonds, p.	0	.	0	.	0	.	.	0
Rowe, 3b.	0	.	.	0	0	.	1	1
Briggs, c. f.	0	.	.	1	.	.	0	1
Hyland, c. f.	.	0	.	0	0	.	.	0
Pettigrew, 1b.	.	0	.	1	.	0	0	1
Anderson, r. f.	.	.	.	.	.	0	.	0
Bamford, s. s.	.	0	.	.	.	0	.	0
Lang, 2b.	.	.	0	0	.	.	.	0
	1	0	0	2	1	0	2	6

The Centrals and North Wards now tie for the first place and the deciding game is expected to prove a great tug-of-war. An effort is being made to have this match played on "Children's Day" in connection with the forthcoming exhibition, which, if successful, should prove a good attraction. The standing of the league at present follows:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.
North Ward	6	5	1
Central	6	5	1
South Park	6	2	4
Victoria West	6	0	6

HILLSIDE WINS.

The intermediate baseball match between the Hillside avenue and Victoria Intermediate teams, played at Oak Bay park on Saturday, resulted in victory for the former, the score being twelve to one. As indicated by the score the result was evident almost from the start, the Intermediates finding it impossible to stand up to the playing of the Hillside boys. Wilson pitched for the winning team, and although his curves puzzled 17 of the opposing team his work was not up to the usual mark. Unlike Smith, who occupied the same position for the Intermediates, he had good support, giving him a big advantage. Smith pitched good steady ball, and the Intermediates' defeat does not lie at his door.

In the first inning McConnell and McIlmoyl scored for the Hillsides, opening their rather lengthy scoring account, which was augmented in the second inning by two more runs made by Catteral and Anderson respectively. From this stage up to the sixth inning nothing was done by either side. In this inning, however, the Hillsides had a run of luck and scored five more runs, Hughes, Wilson, Catteral, Liscombe and Anderson doing the work. The procession was stopped, however, by a really fine catch in right field by Woods, who had to make a hard run before getting under the ball. Wilson and Hutcheson scored on Catteral's hit in the seventh. The only score of the Victorias was made in the second part of this inning, when Smith managed to make the round of the diamond on passed balls. The Hillsides scored another in the eighth, making the twelve runs.

The championship, according to the decision of the executive of the league, now lies between the Hillsides and Wanderers. The match with the Capital Cities, which it is claimed the Hillsides defaulted, puts the Wanderers and the former team on an even basis, and if the decision of the executive is not altered the final game for championship honors will be played between the Hillsides and Wanderers on Saturday afternoon next.

The score in detail follows:

Hillsides.

	a.b.	r.	h.	p.o.	a.	e.
McConnell, s. s.	4	2	3	3	1	0
McIlmoyle, 2b.	5	1	1	.	0	0
G. McIlmoyle, c. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0
H. Wilson, p.	5	2	2	.	2	0
Hutchinson, 3b.	5	1	0	.	0	0
Hughes, 1b.	4	1	3	4	0	1
Catteral, s. s.	5	2	3	17	0	2
Anderson, r. f.	5	2	1	1	1	0
Luscombe, l. f.	4	1	1	1	0	0
	41	12	14	27	4	3

Victoria Intermediates.

	a.b.	r.	h.	p.o.	a.	e.
S. Smith, p.	3	1	1	0	7	0
Esnouf, s. s.	3	0	0	0	0	0
A. Shanks, 1b.	4	0	0	9	0	0
Sherbourne, 2b.	5	0	0	2	2	0
J. Woods, l. f.	3	0	0	1	0	0
S. Shanks, 3b.	3	0	0	1	0	2
N. Gowan, c. f.	3	0	0	0	0	0
H. Herd, c.	2	0	0	14	1	1
Bucket, r. f.	4	0	1	0	0	0
	30	1	2	27	10	3

Score by Innings.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Victoria Int.	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1
Hillside	2	2	0	0	0	5	2	1	0	—12

Summary.

Earned Runs—Hillsides, 7; Victoria Intermediates, 0.
Struck Out—By Wilson, 17; by Smith, 12.
Bases on Balls—Off Wilson, 10; off Smith, 1.
Hit by Pitcher—Wilson, 1.
Wild pitch—Wilson, 3; Smith, 1.
Passed Balls—Herd, 4; Catteral, 2.
Three Base Hit—S. Smith.
Left on Bases—Victoria Intermediates, 12; Hillsides, 5.
Time of Game—1 hour 50 minutes.
Umpire—G. Smith.

NEW USE FOR REFINED PARAFFINE WAX.

A new and important use for Refined Paraffine Wax seems to have been discovered by a prominent resident of Ohio, living near Lancaster, who had two trees badly damaged by storm, one being a maple and the other an apple. In each case a large limb was broken down from the trunk, but still attached to it. The limbs were propped up and fastened securely with straps, very much as a broken leg might be fastened with splints, and then melted refined wax poured into and over all the cracks. The "surgical operation" was entirely sucessful. The Paraffine prevented the escape of the sap, kept out the rain and moisture which would have rotted the trees, prevented the depredations of insects, and the limbs seem thus far to be perfectly re-attached to the trees.

MAKING WAX MATCHES.

The wax matches comes into being, in the following manner, says a writer in Britain at Works. Hanks of cotton consisting of one hundred separate strands, each strand being two thousand five hundred yards in length, are wound on giant reels. These giant reels or drums are about eighty feet apart, and the threads of cotton are wound from one drum to the other several times, each time passing through a bath of heated wax until the threads, termed "taper," have received a sufficient coating. These drums are driven by steam, and the taper in course of manufacture is attended to by women.

When finished, the wax-taper is rolled off on to smaller drums, which are placed in front of machines, and it is threaded through holes in a steel plate. In front of these machines what are known as "frames" are placed, which, though like their counterparts on the wood match side, contain, however, about eight thousand when filled. The process of filling is as follows: The threads are protruded through the aforementioned steel plate on to the frame boards; a knife descends and cuts them off. At each descent it severs the one hundred strands.

The attendant girl drops a fresh board, and another one hundred are presented for decapitation; and so the process goes on until every board has been dropped and the framefull is finished, which means that eight thousand wax matches are ready to receive their crown of usefulness. Gripped tightly by the "Venetian blind" suggestive frame, they are taken from the cutting machine, put into a lift and shot up to the roof of the factory, there to get the finishing application of phosphorus.

We have not advanced the price of our tobaccos. Amber smoking tobacco, Bobs, Currency and Fair Play chewing tobaccos are the same size and price to the consumer as formerly. We have also extended the time for the redemption of Snowshoe tags to January 1st, 1904.
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TREMONT IN 'FRISCO.

The big freighter Tremont, another of the N. P. C. fleet which, as stated heretofore, is to be operated between this port and the Orient, reached San Francisco from New York on Wednesday. The Tremont did not pass through the Straits of Magellan, as is usual with most steamers, but rounded Cape Horn proper. She passed within five miles of the Cape and photographs were taken of the promontory. Terrific gales were encountered while passing into the Pacific. The wind whizzed along at the rate of 80 miles an hour. Huge as the Tremont is, the mountainous waves tossed her about like a cork. Fair weather was met with in the Pacific.

The Tremont is a sister ship of the Shawmut. She is owned by the Boston Steamship Company, and was recently launched at Sparrow Point, Md. The steamer measures 6,15 tons net, is 498 feet in length, 58 feet in beam and 28 feet in depth.

She brought from New York a general cargo, including 1,500 tons of steel rails. Capt. Garlich, well known here as the master of the Hyades, is in command.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC MAIL.

A dispatch from Ottawa says: "The Imperial post offices authorities have decided in favor of the Canadian-Australian route for the dispatch of mails to Fiji and other British insular possessions in the South Pacific.

"The decision favoring the Canadian route was reached by Mr. Austen Chamberlain, British postmaster-general, after he had concluded very comprehensive trials of the San Francisco route. It was found that the American route proved very disadvantageous as compared with others, and finally the Canadian route was picked upon as being the most convenient and expeditious. In official quarters in this city it is inferred from Mr. Chamberlain's decision favoring the mail service between England and New Zealand and Australia will be diverted altogether from San Francisco to the All-Red-Route. Decision between the alternative routes lies with the governments of the two colonies in question, but they will be undoubtedly influenced in no small measure by the recommendation of the Imperial authorities."

A NEW OIL BURNER.

The 8,000-ton oil burner Arizonian was launched in San Francisco last week. The Arizonian is a sister ship to the Alaskan, launched about a year ago. She is 8,627 tons gross, and measures 486.5 feet over all, 57 feet in beam and has 32 feet depth of hold. Her engines are twin-screw, quadruple, 28, 38 and 60 inches, with a 36-inch stroke. She will have three single boilers and will be equipped with the Howden system of forced draught. The twin propellers will have each four blades, with a surface of 61 square feet. She will carry 11,000 tons dead weight of cargo and will run between San Francisco, Honolulu and New York.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Robert Dollar, which reached Seattle a few days ago, had an exciting experience in coming north from San Francisco. Her machinery became disabled in a gale of wind, and she had to set sails to keep off Destruction Reef. The vessel was in this condition for upwards of three hours, while repairs were being effected.

An office of the Vancouver & Stevedoring Company of this city is to be established at Vancouver, under charge of Capt. Amesburg, who is now on his way out from New York.

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Dated July 17th, 1902.
THOS. I. WORTHINGTON.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days from date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore for fishing purposes and rights thereto, in Alberni District, commencing at a post marked J. L. L., N. E. Cor., planted on the shore at about the S. W. corner of Sec. 22, Township 27, on Quatsino Sound, thence north and west along the shore 80 chains, thence seaward, including the foreshore and land covered by water.
Dated this 25th day of August, 1902.
J. L. LEESON.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days from date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore and rights thereto, for fishing purposes, in Alberni District, commencing at a post marked B. W. L., S. E. Cor., planted on the shore of Quatsino Sound, on east side of Koskemo Bay, at the N. W. cor. of Ind. Reserve, thence west along the shore 80 chains, thence seaward, including the foreshore and land covered by water.
Dated this 25th day of August, 1902.
B. W. LEESON.

Take notice that after the expiration of thirty days from this date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore, commencing at a post placed opposite the S. W. corner of Section 44, Esquimalt District, and marked A. J. M. I., N. W. Corner, and extending along the shore to a post placed opposite Section 118, Esquimalt District, and marked A. J. M. I., N. E. Corner, being a distance of 40 chains more or less.
Dated this 20th day of August, 1902.
A. J. M. INVERARITY.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore of Piers Island, Cowichan District, commencing at a post marked A. H. McBride, placed on the northeasterly shore of said Island, and extending 40 chains in a northwesterly direction.
A. H. M'BRIDE.
Dated July 15th, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore of Boatswain's Beach, Cowichan District, Vancouver Island, commencing at a post marked M. E. Burgess, placed on the east shore of said Island, and extending 40 chains in a northwesterly direction towards Cherry Point.
Dated July 14th, 1902.
M. E. BURGESS.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore of Boatswain's Bank, Cowichan District, Vancouver Island, commencing at a post marked Emily McBride, placed on the east shore of said Island, and extending 40 chains in a southeasterly direction towards Hatch Point.
EMILY M'BRIDE.
Dated July 14th, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore (including territorial rights) at the mouth of the Owee-kay-no or Wannuck river, situate at Rivers Inlet, in Cassiar District, commencing at a post marked "B. C. C. Co. E. Cor. Post," placed at the said mouth of the Owee-kay-no or Wannuck river, and extending about one mile in a westerly direction to a post marked "B. C. C. Co. W. Cor. Post."
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Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore of Woolley Island, Stewart's Channel, Cowichan District, commencing at a post marked W. L. McBride, and running 40 chains east southeast, said post being situated on the east shore of said Island.
Dated July 26th, 1902.
W. L. M'BRIDE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore of a small unnamed Island, situated northwest of Woolley Island, Stewart Channel, Cowichan District, commencing at a post marked Percy Venables, and running in a northwesterly direction 40 chains, said post being situated on the east shore of said unnamed Island.
Dated July 26th, 1902.
PERCY VENABLES.

Take notice that at the expiration of thirty days from this date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for fishing purposes the foreshore, including the rights attached thereto, in Cowichan District, commencing at a post planted on the south shore of Bedwell Harbor, Pender Island, the same being the southwest corner of A. McPherson's claim; thence following the shore line eastwardly forty chains and extending seaward, and including the foreshore and land covered with water.
Dated this 10th day of July, A.D., 1902.
A. M'PHERSON.

Take notice that at the expiration of thirty days from this date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for fishing purposes the foreshore, including the rights attached thereto, in Renfrew District, fronting my property, Section 74, commencing at a post planted at high water mark at the southeast corner of Section 74, thence westerly, following the shore line to the southwest corner of said section, and including the foreshore and land covered with water.
G. W. H. ELLISON.
September 4th, 1902.

NOTICE.

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LEONARD H. SOLLY,
Land Commissioner.

Take notice that at the expiration of thirty days from this date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease, for fishing purposes, the foreshore, including the rights attached thereto, in Otter District, fronting my property, Section 32, commencing at a post planted at high water mark at the southwest corner of said section, thence northeasterly, following the shore line to the southeast corner of said section, and including the foreshore and land covered with water.
CHARLES KING.
August 27th, 1902.

Take notice that at the expiration of thirty days from this date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease, for fishing purposes, the foreshore, including the rights attached thereto, in Otter District, fronting my property, Section 29, commencing at a post planted at high water mark at the southwest corner of said section, thence easterly, following the shore line to the southeast corner of said section, and including the foreshore and land covered with water.
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Dated this 11th day of July, A.D., 1902.
A. M'PHERSON.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days from date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of Plumper Island, Quatsino Sound, Alberni District, with territorial right, for cannery purposes, and foreshore for fishing purposes, commencing at a post marked B. W. L., N. Cor. Post, following the shore line to east side, thence south to south side, thence west to west side, thence north to point of commencement.
Dated this 25th day of August, 1902.
P. W. LEESON.

Take notice that at the expiration of thirty days from this date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for fishing purposes the foreshore, including the rights attached thereto, in Otter District, fronting my property, Section 31, commencing at a post planted at high water mark at the southeast corner of said section, thence westerly, following the shore line to the southwest corner of said Section 31, and including the foreshore and land covered with water.
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Thursdays—Leaves Sidney on arrival of 7 a. m. train from Victoria for Cowichan, Burgoyne, Maple Bay, Crofton, Vesuvius, Chemainus, Kuper, Thetis, Gabriola, and Nanaimo. Returning Friday at 7 a. m. for Sidney and way ports.
J. ANDERSON,
General Manager.

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BY STR. IROQUOIS

To the Islands' Agricultural and Fruit Growers' Association at Ganges Harbor,

On Wednesday, Oct. 1st, 1902

Train leaves Market Building at 7 a. m. Returning, boat will leave Ganges Harbor at 6 p. m.
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Provincial News.

GREENWOOD.

Mrs. Annie Larkin, who during the busy times of railway construction built the Larkin house in Greenwood, and who for several years previously had been in the restaurant business here, died on Monday and was buried on Wednesday.

Tuesday's train brought back to Greenwood L. B. Hodge, local manager for the Vernon & Nelson Telephone Company, and his bride. The marriage took place at Winnipeg on the 8th inst., and since then they have been spending their honeymoon at Rocky Mountain points.

KAMLOOPS.

The annual meeting of the Agricultural Association was held in Exhibition hall on Thursday morning. President J. P. Shaw in the chair. The election resulted as follows: Hon. president, W. J. Roper (re-elected); president, J. P. Shaw (re-elected); 1st vice-president, A. Noble; 2nd vice-president, W. W. Shaw; treasurer, J. R. Hull (re-elected). On motion it was decided to defer electing a secretary until the adjourned meeting in December. The following directors were chosen: J. P. Dill, F. J. Deane, J. R. Mitchell, A. D. Macintyre, A. Penzer, D. C. McLaren, M. P. Gordon, E. S. Wood, J. F. Smith, P. A. Bainhart, for Kamloops; J. Aird and J. Clapperton, Nicola; J. B. Greaves, Douglas Lake; A. Gordon, North Thompson, West Side; S. Armour, North Thompson, East Side; A. Smith, Grand Prairie; W. Fortune and C. T. Cooney, Tranquille; T. W. Graham, Shuswap; J. D. McGuire, P. Owens and Allan Shaw, Salmon Arm; H. Bostock, Ducks, and V. D. Curry, Campbell Creek. A report from R. M. Palmer was read in which he congratulated the association on the fruit exhibit, and made several practical suggestions for future guidance. It was resolved that the secretary write him a letter of thanks.

VANCOUVER.

Rev. L. Norman Tucker, the newly appointed organization secretary of Canadian home missions, states that the duties of his new appointment would necessitate his being in Montreal on October 12th, and he, therefore, purposed leaving Vancouver on October 3rd. His resignation of the rectorship of Christ Church had not, however, yet been formerly handed to the vestry, and a great deal of both church and private business remained to be disposed of. His future place of residence, Mr. Tucker stated, will probably be Toronto, but his field of work will be as wide and broad as the Dominion itself, and will embrace all classes of church mission work in Canada, from the Eskimos of the north to the Chinese and Japanese of the Pacific Coast; also the Indians, Galicians, settlers in the different sections, etc.

At a meeting of the members of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church congregation, living in the extreme west end, it was practically unanimously decided to apply to the Presbytery for permission to establish a separate mission of the church in the west end. Over a year ago property was secured in this section of the city with a view of establishing a mission or chapel of ease in connection with St. Andrew's. As, however, changes have to be made in the St. Andrew's pastorate, it is thought advisable to endeavor to make two separate churces and better meet the requirements of the wide area now forming part of the St. Andrew's church district.

An employee of the B. E. Refinery was accidentally scalded about the legs on Saturday afternoon while testing one of the bone filters. His injuries are being attended to at the city hospital, and although of a somewhat painful nature, are not serious.

In the police court on Saturday, Alex. Gordon, arrested for assaulting a little girl, was sentenced to serve six months in jail with hard labor. A fine of $100 or in default another six months' imprisonment, was also imposed, this making the maximum punishment which the court could impose. The story of the accused that he was an employee on the steamer Cassiar, and was at sea on that vessel at the time the assault was committed, proved to be a fabrication, and upon being faced with the disproval of his alibi, he admitted his guilt.

On Thursday Messrs. Brett and Sullivan started out to climb Grouse Mountain. Sullivan, who acted as guide, miscalculated the performance of the journey, and the two men found themselves overtaken by darkness before their desired goal was reached. The night turned very cold, and, to make matters worse, a drenching rain descended on the luckless adventurers, from which they could find no shelter. All night long they lay exposed to the chilling storm, and when dawn broke both men, particularly Sullivan, were suffering severely from cramps, and found their limbs almost helpless. Brett determined to make an effort to descend the mountain. His legs, arms and hands were contracted with cramp, but he managed, after a painful journey, to reach North Vancouver, and arrived in the city on Friday evening. On Saturday a relief party started out and at night a fire was visible on the mountain top. It is expected that the rescue party will soon reach the city.

VERNON.

A painful accident that nearly proved fatal happened a few days ago to Mrs. W. F. Wood, of Lumby. She was driving a rather spirited horse, which shied quickly, upsetting the cart over the edge of a bridge they were just approaching, throwing Mrs. Wood and her companion, Mrs. Inglis, heavily to the ground. Mrs. Inglis was bruised considerably, but not seriously hurt. Mrs. Wood, however, fell on her head, which was cut open, the muscles of her neck being badly sprained. It is expected that no permanent injury will follow, though the escape from a broken neck was a very close one.

Dr. O. Morris held a coroner's inquest last Monday, at Benvoulin, over the body of Wm. Scott, who came to his death on Saturday night under circumstances of a peculiarly painful nature. It appears that the unfortunate man was drinking that day, and had gone up into the hay loft of the stable in connection with the Benvoulin hotel. The proprietor, W. Shayler, went up to eject him, and an altercation ensued, which wound up by Shayler hitting him on the mouth with his fist and knocking him down. Scott then consented to leave the stable, and when descending the steps he slipped and fell down eight steps to the ground. He then went to a neighbor's house and complained of Shayler's action. His mouth was bleeding, but apparently there was nothing else wrong with him. He went to bed, and in the morning was found dead. A post mortem examination revealed the fact that three of his ribs had been broken by the fall and had pierced his liver, thus causing death. The jury brought in a verdict of accidental death.

It is perhaps as well to be frank at the beginning and acknowledge that the annual agricultural exhibition of the Okanagan and Spallamcheen Agricultural Society did not, this year, come up to our expectations, and fell a good deal short of previous shows as far as the number of exhibits is concerned. It is not worth while endeavoring to find a reason for the slackness of the farmers in this connection; the fact is very evident that a decided lack of interest was shown by them, with the inevitable result that the fair can only be called a partial success. We are glad to be able to state, however, that in the matter of quality the exhibits in every class left little to be desired. This remark applies with particular force to the fruit, which made a truly splendid show, and probably excelled anything before exhibited here.—News.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Hon. W. C. Wells, chief commissioner of lands and works, was in the city on Friday, in connection with the bridge approaches encroaching on the C. P. R. right-of-way. No developments have taken place, and it is stated that the matter is to be settled at Ottawa.

NEW DENVER.

New Denver has organized a board of trade, with Thomas H. Hoben as president. It will not affiliate with the associated boards of trade, but work on its own lines for the promotion of local interests.

Rev. E. C. W. McColl leaves here on the 1st October. The members of the Presbyterian congregation and other friends will entertain Mr. McColl at a farewell social on the 30th inst.

CRANBROOK.

The wedding of Miss Ryan, sister of James Ryan, proprietor of the Cranbrook hotel, and C. M. Keefe, took place at the Methodist church here on Wednesday. Miss Ryan is well known in Cranbrook, as she has been staying with her brother for a year or more. Mr. Keefe ran the first bank in Southeast Kootenay in the old days at Fort Steele. He is now located in Idaho, where Mr. and Mrs. Keefe will make their home.

KASLO.

The gang of men who have been doing work for the last couple of months on the south fork wagon road have now finished for this season and are back in town.

The building of the Kaslo Victorian hospital is progressing, the framework is now finished, and the structure will, from all appearances, add greatly to the appearance of the neighborhood.

The R. M. R. are holding drills twice a week, with a good attendance, preparing for the visit of Colonel Holmes, D. O. C. They are getting efficient in the new drill.

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GEORGE M'QUEEN.

September 8th, 1902.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore of Oxtail River, commencing at a post marked "P. Herman's S. W. Corner," placed at high water mark on said river at the corner of Lot 53, Range 5, Coast District, and extending from thence along the river frontage of said lot.

PETER HERMAN.

Dated 25th August, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore for fishing purposes of that part of Bentick Island known as Pilot Bay, commencing from a stake marked "J. P. E. S.," following the shore line in a northerly direction a half mile more or less.

JOHN P. ELFORD.

Dated 15th July, 1902.

NOTICE.

Take notice that the annual general meeting of the Shareholders of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company (at which Directors will be elected) will be held at the Company's Office, Store street, Victoria, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon on Wednesday, the first day of October next.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.

Victoria, B. C., August 27th, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore of Cowichan Harbor, Cowichan District, Vancouver Island, commencing at a post marked E. G. McBride, placed on the south shore of said harbor, and extending 40 chains in a southeasterly direction towards Cherry Point.

E. G. M'BRIDE.

Dated July 14th, 1902.

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City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B. C., August 15th, 1902.

NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore rights for fishing purposes of Halibut Bay, Observatory Inlet, commencing at a post marked "J. H. G.'s Post," planted near the north point of the Bay, and running thence one-half mile south along the shore.

J. H. GREER.

20th August, 1902.

Take notice that at the expiration of thirty days from this date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for fishing purposes the foreshore, including the rights attached thereto, in Victoria District, fronting our property at Sidney Island, commencing at a post planted at high water mark at the south end of the Government Reserve on said Island, thence southerly, following the shore line around said Island to the point of commencement, and including the foreshore and land covered with water.

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WILLIAM BRYCE.
ROBERT BRYCE.

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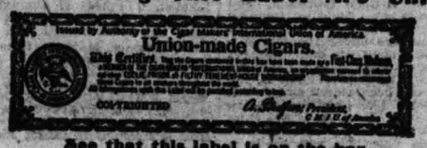

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QUARTZ.

Persons of eighteen years and over and joint stock companies holding Free Miner's Certificates may obtain entry for a mining location.

A Free Miner's Certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five, upon payment in advance of $10.00 per annum for an individual, and from $50.00 to $100.00 per annum for a company, according to capital.

A Free Miner having discovered mineral in place may locate a claim 1,500x1,500 feet by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notices, one at each end on the line of the lode or vein.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if located within ten miles of a Mining Recorder's Office, one additional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction. The fee for recording a claim is $5.00.

At least $100.00 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the Mining Recorder in lieu thereof. When $500.00 has been expended or paid the locator may, upon having a survey made and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at $1.00 an acre.

Permission may be granted by the Minister of the Interior to locate claims containing iron and mica, also copper, in the Yukon Territory, of an area not exceeding 160 acres.

The patent for a mining location shall provide for the payment of royalty on the sales not exceeding five per cent.

PLACER MINING, MANITOBA AND THE N. W. T., EXCEPTING THE YUKON TERRITORY.

Placer mining claims generally are 100 feet square; entry fee $5.00, renewable yearly. On the North Saskatchewan River claims are either bar or bench, the former being 100 feet long and extending between high and low water mark. The latter includes bar diggings, but extends back to the base of the hill or bank, but not exceeding 1,000 feet. Where steam power is used, claims 200 feet wide may be obtained.

DREDGING IN THE RIVERS OF MANITOBA AND THE N. W. T., EXCEPTING THE YUKON TERRITORY.

A Free Miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars of the river below low water mark, and subject to the rights of all persons who have, or who may receive, entries for bar diggings or bench claims, except on the Saskatchewan River, where the lessee may dredge to high water mark on each alternate leasehold.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles, but where a person or company has obtained more than one lease one dredge for each fifteen miles or fraction is sufficient. Rental $10.00 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of two and a half per cent. collected on the output after it exceeds $10,000.00.

DREDGING IN THE YUKON TERRITORY.

Six leases of five miles each may be granted to a free miner for a term of twenty years, also renewable.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars in the river below low water mark, that boundary to be fixed by its position on the 1st day of August in the year of the date of the lease.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within two years from the date of the lease, and one dredge for each five miles within six years from such date. Rental $100.00 per mile for first year, and $10.00 per mile for each subsequent year. Royalty ten per cent. on the output in excess of $15,000.00.

PLACER MINING IN THE YUKON TERRITORY.

Creek, Gulch, River and Hill Claims shall not exceed 250 feet in length, measured on the base line or general direction of the creek or gulch, the width being from 1,000 to 2,000 feet. All other Placer Claims shall be 250 feet square.

Claims are marked by two legal posts, one at each end bearing notices. Entry must be obtained within ten days if the claim is within ten miles of Mining Recorder's office. One extra day allowed for each additional ten miles or fraction.

The person or company staking a claim, and each person in his or its employment, except house servants, must hold a Free Miner's Certificate.

The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to a claim 1,000 feet in length, and if the party consists of two, 1,500 feet altogether, on the output of which no royalty shall be charged, the rest of the party ordinary claims only.

Entry fee $15.00. Royalty at the rate of five per cent. charged on the gross output of the claim, with the exception of an annual exemption of $5,000.00.

No Free Miner shall receive a grant of more than one mining claim on each separate river, creek or gulch, but the same miner may hold any number of claims by purchase, and Free Miners, not exceeding ten in number, may work their claims in partnership, by filing notice and paying fee of $2.00. A claim may be abandoned and another obtained on the same creek, gulch or river, by giving notice, and paying a fee.

Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least $200.00, or in lieu of work payment may be made to the Mining Recorder each year for the first three years of $200.00 and after that $400.00 for each year.

A certificate that work has been done or fee paid must be obtained each year; if not, the claim shall be deemed to be abandoned, and open to occupation and entry by a Free Miner.

The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made and publishing notices in the Yukon Official Gazette.

HYDRAULIC MINING, YUKON TERRITORY.

Locations suitable for hydraulic mining, having a frontage of from one to five miles, and a depth of one mile or more, may be leased for twenty years, provided the ground has been prospected by the applicant or his agent; is found to be unsuitable for placer mining; and does not include within its boundaries any mining claims already granted. A rental of $150.00 for each mile of frontage, and a royalty of five per cent. on the gross output, less an annual exemption of $25,000.00, are charged. Operations must be commenced within one year from the date of the lease, and not less than $5,000.00 must be expended annually. The lease excludes all base metals, quartz and coal, and provides for the withdrawal of unoperated land for agricultural or building purposes.

PETROLEUM.

All unappropriated Dominion Lands shall, after the 1st of July, 1901, be open to prospecting for petroleum. Should the prospector discover oil in paying quantities he may acquire 640 acres of available land, including and surrounding his discovery at the rate of $1.00 an acre, subject to royalty at such rate as may be specified by Order in Council.

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Ambrose Kent, of Toronto, and Mrs. Kent, are at the Dominion hotel. They are on a pleasure trip to the west, and are visiting the various points of interest for a few days. Mr. Kent is the proprietor of one of the largest jewellery businesses in Canada, and his house is known all over the Dominion. A very prominent Methodist, he was a delegate to the general conference which met in Winnipeg. With the close of the conference he came west, stopping off at different points.

Ever in the forefront of any philanthropic movement, he was one of those who laid the foundations of the sanitorium near Gravenhurst. This institution is entirely devoted to the purposes of curing consumption, and is proving eminently successful in its work.

Ambrose Kent is one of the directors of the institution, and for several years has devoted a great deal of attention to work in connection with it. This has obliged him to spend a very considerable part of his time at the sanitorium. Associated with him in this work are such well known Toronto philanthropists as Chester A. Massey and W. J. Gage, the publisher. The late Hart Massey was also very deeply interested in this work at its initiation. During the few years that it has been in operation the number of cures has been most gratifying, and the directors have been forced to make additions from time to time in the way of accommodation. This year there has been another building erected, and accommodation is now provided for free patients. At the sanitorium only those regarded as curable are taken.

The principle underlying the treatment is that of having the patients live as much as possible in the open air, and added to this is the benefits from good nourishing food. Situated in the healthy uplands of Muskoka the best of conditions with regard to pure air are encountered. The winter temperature which sinks quite often to from 20 to 30 degrees below zero, and even lower, makes necessary special provisions for that season.

The patients are obliged to spend at least ten or twelve hours daily in the open air. In the winter time to obtain this condition a tent was tried, but this was found unsatisfactory. Last year a better arrangement was arrived at, when by putting a roof upon posts and making the sides of canvass open air conditions were obtained. With a large stove in these quarters the patients are made comfortable. At nights the windows of the sleeping apartments are left wide open.

Necessarily every precaution must be taken to guard against the further propagation about the institution of the germs of disease. With increased knowledge concerning these matters the danger is averted, and Mr. Kent says he feels much more safe from consumption germs in moving about these buildings than he does at the ordinary hotel or any such public place. Proceeding upon the principle that the disease is propagated alone by the spittal, and only when the latter is dry, there requires but care in that respect.

The promoters of the sanitorium have in contemplation a further development in this laudable work for benefitting a wide class of disease afflicted. The new scheme contemplates the establishment near Toronto of another institution of this kind. The necessary land has been acquired consisting of about twenty acres at the head of Bathurst street. Some opposition has been experienced to having such an institution established by those living near it through fear of contagion. An act was passed through the last session of the legislature of Ontario providing that no such institution should be established nearer to a dwelling than a specified distance. To prevent the erection of the building, shacks were built within the specified distance, thus preventing the work being carried on. It is expected that amendments will be passed at the coming session of the legislature which will overcome this trouble.

—The City Band and Orchestra accompany the excursion and dance to Sidney, Thursday evening, Oct. 2nd.

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Corp. Ommundson, a Member of British Team Which Won Palmer Trophy, Visits City.

Corp. Harcourt Ommundson, of the Queens Edinburgh Rifles, is in the city, and is a guest of his aunt, Mrs. Jenson, of Cecil Chambers. He is a member of the British team which carried off the Palma Trophy at Ottawa. Before leaving for home he has seized the opportunity of visiting his aunt, and expects to leave on Friday. Another member of the team, Sergt. Martin, accompanied him westward as far as the Rockies, where he is visiting a brother.

Corp. Ommundson is only twenty-four years of age, but he looks even some years younger. For the past six years he has been shooting at rifle matches, and in consequence of a most successful series he is the possessor of a very varied assortment of trophies, including a very large number of medals.

The past year at Bisley he carried off the King's prize. The year 1900 is regarded by him as his best year. It was in that year that he won the grand aggregate and the Daily Graphic prize. In 1890 he was the winner of St. George's prize, and in the same year at the Scottish matches he won the Caledonian Challenge Shield and the gold medal.

Speaking of the Canadian teams which have gone to Bisley he says they have always been regarded as formidable rival. They have adapted themselves most readily to Bisley weather until this year, when the conditions seemed unfavorable to them.

The success of the British team in carrying off the Palma trophy, he modestly ascribes in part to the fact that the shoot took place in Ottawa during real Bisley weather.

On this, his first visit to Canada, he is delighted with the country. He has nothing but praise for it, and has become so enamored with it that he even speaks of taking up his residence here. In Ottawa inducements are being held to have him become a resident of that city, and he admits that he may soon become a citizen of Canada.

PERSONAL.

Mr. S. S. Fowler, of Nelson, manager of the Ymir, Whitewater and other mines, is at the Driard. The Ymir is one of the successful—that is one of the dividend-paying—mines of British Columbia, and much of its success is no doubt attributable to the technical knowledge possessed by Mr. Fowler, who was under the late Mr. Robertson's management the mining expert in charge. Mr. Fowler says the Whitewater, which is a lead-silver mine in the Slocan district, has been closed down until conditions improve. The Ymir mine, which carries 70 per cent. gold value, is pounding away at its full capacity. The Cascade Power Co., it is expected, will be in a position to supply electrical power in the course of a week or two, which will greatly improve the conditions of mining and smelting in the Boundary district.

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J. L. Beckwith returned on Saturday night from an extended business trip to the East. He visited Toronto, Montreal and Ottawa, taking part in the Dominion litile Association matches at the capital. His itinerary included a number of United States cities, particularly Boston, where he spent a brief period. He reports business throughout the East generally in a flourishing condition. He was away two months.

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Several of the Eastern judges of live stock were in the city yesterday, making the Vernon their headquarters. There were Duncan Anderson, John Jackson and J. R. Cottrelle. They have dispersed in different directions, but will be back before the opening of the Victoria exhibition.

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R. D. Merrill, of Seattle; W. W. Robinson, of Portland, Oregon; and John F. Caine, of Denver, Colo., are among the knights of the grip at the Victoria. The latter two represent boot and shoe and tobacco manufacturers respectively.

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Mrs. Langley, who has spent the last few years in the North, arrived home on the steamer Amur on Sunday. Her son, Captain Wallace Langley, who is in command of the Yukon steamer Walter Crimmont, is not expected home until the close of navigation.

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R. French, of San Francisco, and E. Riedel, of Boston, Mass., two expert machinists who have been superintending some work at the Crofton smelter, arrived at the Dominion on Saturday. They left yesterday for their homes.

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E. M. Burns, of the Northern Pacific branch office, Seattle, visited the city on Saturday and Sunday, and returned to the Sound last evening. While here he made his headquarters at the Victoria hotel.

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F. A. Frick and family, of Binghampton, N. Y., are making Victoria their headquarters while visiting points of interest within reach of the city. They are guests at the Dominion.

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Hon. W. C. Wells, chief commissioner of Lands and Works, who has been inspecting the work on the Fraser river bridge, returned by the steamer Charmer last evening.

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Hon. D. M. Eberts is expected here tonight, having arrived at Vancouver to-day. Hon. James Dunsmuir and family will return on Thursday evening.

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Rev. Dr. Young, of St. Thomas, Ont., who, after attending the Methodist general conference at Winnipeg, came West, was in this city yesterday.

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A. E. McNaughton and wife, of Vancouver, accompanied by Miss McCord, are at the Vernon. They are on their way to San Francisco.

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H. Ormond and wife, of Portage la Prairie, are registered at the Dominion. They are on their way from a visit to the south.

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James Rae, of Vancouver; P. C. Peterson, of Duncans; and H. L. Phair, of Lillooet, are among the guests at the Victoria.

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Thomas Shaw, the proprietor of one of Dawson's foundries, returned from the North on the steamer Amur on Sunday.

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A. S. Burgess, P. Storck, H. McLean, M. Lens and E. A. Morris were among yesterday's arrivals from Vancouver.

C. H. Lugrin and A. Magneson were among the passengers from the Sound by the steamer Rosalie this morning.

W. H. Lewis, of Vancouver, representing the Union Petroleum Co., of Toronto, is staying at the Vernon.

G. Windram, of Liverpool, who is making an extensive tour of the Dominion, is a guest at the Victoria hotel.

C. E. Fowler and Frank Dana, of Seattle, officials of the Puget Sound Bridge Co., are at the Driard.

Henry Rutherford and Henry Reates, jr., of Philadelphia, are registered at the Driard.

Chas. Wilson, K. C., the leader of the provincial Conservative party, is in the city.

Chas. A. Butler, the stock raiser of Port Townsend, is at the Victoria hotel.

C. W. Armstrong and J. A. London, of Montreal, are at the Vernon.

R. W. Malandre, of Port Townsend, is a guest at the Victoria hotel.

J. H. Simpson, barrister, of Nanaimo, is registered at the Driard.

J. Goodwin Goldberg, of Vancouver, is at the Vernon.

J. A. Puckridge, of St. Paul, is at the Dominion.

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Per steamer Majestic from the Sound—Sunday—Mrs F J Stephen, Miss Stephen, M L Calvert, Medrick, A Crofton, A Strong, J M Brown, W W Robinson, J North, J J Keating, Robt Croft, Mrs Gillan, Mrs Kelly, Mrs Colds, Miss Colds, Miss M Johns, A E Anderson and wife, Miss E Johns, J H Smith, Jas Colvin, Miss Colvin, Miss Jessup.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—Sunday—Frank Dana, C E Fowler, Mrs Dr Russell, Mrs Adams, Mrs Gold, A R Morrisey, G Windram, Miss Goldie, H Ormond, Mrs H Ormond, John Bennett, W J Wright, W H Marcon, E H Miller, C Schwengers, Mrs C Schwengers, Miss Thrift, Napier Smith, A Miloy, Dave Hogan, F Butler, Mrs S C Thomas, Robt Thomas, Mrs Benjamin, Miss Harrison.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—Monday—C A Parker, Mrs C A Parker, C H Lugrin, Miss Atkinson, J H Dawes, A Magneson, J McHardy, H Yarwood, J B Corbett, H Perry Mills, J A Puckridge, J W Oifonder, S P Schultze, Mrs Woodhus, C Malino, E Anderson, G Alderson, M Maley, Thos McDonald, Mrs Hutchison Jno Cook, Mrs Cook and three children.

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WHOLESALE MARKET.

The following quotations are Victoria wholesale prices paid for farm produce this week:

Potatoes (new), per ton	$ 15.00
Carrots, per 100 lbs.	75
Parsnips, per 100 lbs.	1.00
Cabbage, per 100 lbs.	1.50
Butter (creamery), per lb.	25
Butter (dairy), per lb.	22½
Eggs (ranch), per doz.	35
Chickens, per doz.	3.50@ 6.00
Hay, per ton	10.00
Oats, per ton	20.00
Barley, per ton	25.00
Wheat, per ton	27.00
Beef, per lb.	8@ 9
Mutton, per lb.	9@ 10
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BIRTH.

M'LEAN—At Revelstoke, on Sept. 11th, the wife of Angus McLean, of a son.

O'KEEFE—At Okanagan, on Sept. 21st, the wife of C. O'Keefe, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

KEEFE-RYAN—At Cranbrook, on Sept. 24th, C. M. Keefe and Miss Ryan.

DIXON-YOUNG—At New Westminster, on Sept. 25th, by Rev. A. E. Vert, Captain A. Dixon and Catherine Young.

RINTOUL-DRAINIE—At Vancouver, on Sept. 27th, by Rev. R. G. MacBeth, Robert Rintoul and Miss Estella G. G. Drainie.

DIED.

FRIDAY—At Shawnigan Lake, on the 27th instant, John Friday, a native of San Juan Island, aged 30 years.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday morning at 8.15 from the residence of his mother, Mrs. Mary Friday, Victoria West, and at 9 o'clock at the Roman Catholic Cathedral.

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